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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under as [illegible] more space or longer time.

WANTED—At once a good boy to deliver parcels and make himself generally useful. Apply Stanley House, Dry Goods, corner Broad and Yates streets.

WANTED—A situation as nursemaid. Please address, Nursemaid TIMES office. s25-3t

WANTED—Tailoresses, first-class pant makers immediately. A vacancy for a good coat hand is also open. H. A Potts, opposite Commercial Hotel, Douglas street. s24-3t

WANTED—A nurse girl. Apply to Mrs. J. Holland, 60 John street. se24-3t

WANTED—A waitress. Apply at once at Brunswick Hotel, Yates and Douglas streets. se24-1w

WANTED—At the British Columbia Pottery & Terra Cotta Works, laborers and young men to learn the business. Apply at the Works, Constance Cove Road. se22-1w

WANTED—Everybody to come and buy bargains at Hilbert's Boot and Shoe clearing sale, 74 Yates street. sept6-tf

WANTED—At once a nurse girl for small family. Apply 3 St. Lawrence street, James Bay. aug12-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—A five roomed cottage, locality pleasant and convenient; carpets, curtains etc., for sale. Address, "G. T." TIMES office. se26-1w

TO LET—A two story 7 roomed house with bath, convenient and comfortable. Rent $25 per month. Apply to H. F. Heisterman and Co.'s office, Burns' Building. se26-tf

TO LET—A good room suitable for an office, 25 Bastion street. Apply at the Garrick's Head. sep23-1w

TO LET—A good site for brickmaking. Apply M. Morrison, Cedar Hill Road. s20-1w

TO LET—New modern houses built for warmth and comfort; will be let by month or on lease to reliable parties; location best in the city. Inquire of J. A. Lawrence, 40 Government street. sept13-tf

TO LET—A story and a half house 7 rooms No 81 Discovery St. Apply on the premises between 7 and 8 p. m. or to Brackman and Ker, Government St. sep11-tf

TO LET—A furnished front Room on James Bay car line. Apply "A" this office. se2-tf

TO RENT—New five roomed Dwelling; bath room, hot and cold water, 3 lots Dallas Road. Apply Monteith & Milligan, 50 Government street. aug12-tf

TO LET.—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 133 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

BOARD.

PERMANENT BOARDERS—A few Permanent Boarders can be accommodated at the Douglas House, corner of Gordon and Courtney streets at winter terms. sep5-1m

EDUCATIONAL.

SCHOOLS OF PRACTICAL, CIVIL, MECHANICAL, Mining Engineering, Surveying, Draughting, Architecture, Assaying and Navigation, 1708 Second street, Portland, Or., and 723 Market street, San Francisco, Cal. Established 1864. A. VANDER NAILLEN, Pros. Send for circular. sept5-1yr

LOST OR FOUND.

FOUND—2 year old bay horse, white star, 13 hands high. Owner can have same by proof of claim and payment of expenses. Adam Ross, Saanich. se19-1w

REWARD—For the return of a valuable solitaire diamond ring lost yesterday afternoon. A suitable reward will be given at THE TIMES office. (Colonist copy.) se17-1w

CIVIL ENGINEERS, Etc.

EDWD. McCOSKRIE & Co., ARCHITECTS and Building Superintendents, Belmont Co. Block, Yates street, Victoria, B.C. P.O. box 41. se23-tf

C. W. BUSK, Assoc. M. Inst. C.E., M. Soc. C.E. MINING AND GENERAL SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER. Plans and estimates furnished, reports prepared, works undertaken, and contracts superintended for all kinds of Engineering or Surveying work in the south part of the West Kootenay District. Address P. O. Box 346, Victoria, B. C., or Nelson, Kootenay Lake B. C. jan29

G. HARGREAVES, CIVIL ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR AND ARCHITECT. Plans, specifications and estimates furnished for buildings. S. E. corner of Government and Fort streets, upstairs, Victoria, B. C.

GRAY & DEVEREUX, CIVIL ENGINEERS And Railway, Land and Mine Surveyors. Plans, specifications and estimates of structures and excavations prepared for contractors. Surveys taken by contract in all parts of the province and Washington. Timber limits located. Office—Room "C," White House (upstairs), Government street. P.O. Box 358. Branch office in Seattle. feb7-6m

BANKERS.

GARESCHE, GREEN & CO. BANKERS, Government street Victoria, B. C. Deposits received in gold, silver and U. S. currency. Interest paid on the same on time deposits. Gold dust and U. S. currency purchased at highest market rates. Sight Drafts and Telegraph Transfers to San Francisco, New York and Canada. Exchange on London, available in all parts of Europe, England, Ireland and Scotland. Letters of Credit issued on the principal cities of the United States, Canada and Europe. Agents for Wells, Fargo & Co.

ARCHITECTS.

THOMAS HOOPER, ARCHITECT. Office on the New Methodist Church site, corner Johnson and Quadra streets. jly5-tf

P. R. DONOVAN, ARCHITECT. Office, Craft & Norris Block, Douglas street. Plans and specifications furnished on the shortest notice. sp26tf

T. B. NORGATE, ARCHITECT and Mechanical Engineer. Drawings for Patent Office. Office, Moody's Block, 76 Yates street, Victoria B. C. m20tf

JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT. Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

INSURANCE.

TO INSURE—Your house at lowest rates call on Crane, McGregor & Boggs, agents Citizens. au15

INSURE—In the Sun, Life and Accident. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. au15

THE NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY. Established 1797. Amount insured $50,000,000. H. D. BELNCKEN, Agent, Dupont street, Victoria, B. C. jan29

SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., R.C.R. Regular communications the [illegible] Masonic Temple, Douglas street, [illegible] and Fraser streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited to attend. [illegible] W. M. SEWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 720, G.R.S. Regular conventions held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. E. LANGLEY, Scribe E. jel-tf

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER, K. of R. & S. oct9

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

CAVENGERS.

THOMAS LANCASTER, SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Orders may be left at Demers and Son, Grocers, corner Douglas and Pandora streets; Mr. Fee, corner North Park and Quadra streets; Mr. Nathan, Spring Ridge; Mr. Moffatt, corner Fort and Blanchard streets. au16-tf

PETER HANSEN CITY SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable. Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets. Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. ju18

JOHN DOHERTY GENERAL SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. aug23-tf

PHYSICIANS.

HOMŒPATHIC REMOVAL. DR. J. HALL Will leave his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 2nd, for the new brick block corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 4 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

J. K. GARROW, M. D. (Lately attending Guy's Hospital, London, and Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.) Specialties: Diseases of Women and Children and Chronic Diseases. Office and residence, corner of Douglas and Yates streets, over Cochrane & Munn's drug store. Office hours:—9 to 11 a.m., 1 to 3, and 7 to 8:30 p.m. Calls in city or country promptly attended to. nov2-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

ASPINALL'S ENAMEL. Just arrived a very large consignment in every conceivable color (bath and plain). Apply 159 Johnson street. Orders received at Langley & Co. sept17-1m

QUEEN'S MARKET. L. GOODACRE. Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher. Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

A. & W. WILSON, PLUMBERS AND FITTERS. Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Shipping supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B. C. Telephone call 138

JOHN J. AUSTIN, NOTARY PUBLIC. Real Estate and General Agent. Loans negotiated. Town and Country Property for sale. Office Government street Victoria. P.O. Box 93.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.

Society Circles Aghast at the Elopement of a Parson.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—A Herald's special says the social circles of Lisbon Ellendale and Malden are excited to a high pitch over a story which to-day made public of the elopement of the Rev. W. W. Nutting, of Boston, Mass., with Miss Alta Mills, of Jackson, Mich. and who claimed to be a dressmaker. Nutting arrived on September 6th, and the couple at once became very intimate, claiming to be old friends. Finally when an article appeared in the newspapers about them, they claimed to be married. Nutting is very sick, and Miss Mills, or Mrs. Nutting as she claims to be, is attending to him night and day. The lady says her husband will answer all charges against him when he is well. At Ellendale, the point from which the pair came here, Nutting is an independent preacher, and has a call to a church in Aberdeen, S. D. He is a gentleman of fine ability, and has two sons, one a physician in Malden and the other a farmer in McIntosh. It is said that he had never met Miss Mills until about a month ago, when he arrived from Boston. She is an accomplished woman of about 30. Her manners are very pleasing, and she was highly respected. She is a member of the Presbyterian church. She obtained a legal separation from her former husband in Michigan less than a year ago. Miss Mills moved to Ellensdale last spring in order to be convenient to a farm which she owned a short distance west of this place. It was reported then that she was about to be married to a young man in Michigan, but afterwards that engagement was broken. She and Nutting visited Nutting's son in McIntosh a few days before the elopement when their intention to marry was announced. The young man became furious and threatened to shoot her and ordered her out of the house. She returned to Ellensdale and was soon followed by the reverend suitor. They remained their until last week. Nutting is reported to have another wife still living and it is said that she is in a lunatic asylum.

Pessimism.

Strict justice is like a boomerang. When you take a hand in its infliction, get out of the way of its recoil.

Life is like a tedious walking match. One enters it already heavily handicapped and strives painfully toward an unknown goal. Two companions enter the race with us, Joy and Sorrow. When we fall breathless at last, we end as we began: Sorrow always at our side, Joy always one step ahead.—Kate Field's Washington.

Fifty-eight pieces linoleums, latest designs in all widths and qualities, just arrived at John Weiler's.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

A JURYMAN MAKES A FOOLISH MISTAKE.

Two Chinamen Arrested for Robbing a Bank—Another Two-Faced Minister Caught—He Put His Wife in an Insane Asylum and Gets Married Again.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The Herald's Boston special reported the marriage of Rev. W. W. Nutting and Miss Mills, at Ellensdale, N.D. Nutting was in this city last year, and boarded with his wife and daughter on Poplar street, at the West End. He kept indoors a great part of the time, and claimed to be engaged in writing a book. Mrs. Nutting was not seen much by other people in the house, but they speak in high terms of her and of her daughter. Last spring they all took their departure, the wife and daughter several days in advance of Nutting and there was no clue to the whereabouts of any of the family, until a few days ago a report of the marriage reached Boston. The suggestion that Nutting had sent his wife to an insane asylum is not verified here, although it is said he often spoke of her as an invalid who needed special care.

Habeas Corpus.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—An application was made before Judge Gresham to-day for a writ of habeas corpus in behalf of Michael Schwab, anarchist, now serving a life sentence in Joliet. Schwab's counsel set forth as the main reason that Schwab was never present in the States Supreme Court when his case was passed upon. A letter was read from General Butler endorsing the application. Judge Gresham will pass upon the matter Monday next.

A Blundering Juryman.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 26.—A curious mistake occurred here to-day in Justice Aberlander's court room which is without precedent in the annals of jurisprudence, and which illustrates how absurd law technicalities may be at times. Mrs. Carrie Darr brought an action for an accounting against J. McCullough of this city. The jury agreed in their private room on a verdict in favor of defendant, but when they returned to the court room the foreman blunderingly announced a verdict for plaintiff. The court accordingly recorded the decision as announced, and gave judgment for plaintiff. After the jury had been discharged and the lawyers had separated, the mistake was discovered, but the justice said that he could not change the records, and that the verdict must stand as announced. It would be against public policy to allow a jury to discredit its own verdict, and it has been repeatedly held that jurymen cannot make affidavits with reference to what may have taken place in the jury-room.

The Doomed Lottery.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 27.—Attorney-General Harding to-day gave an opinion in lottery license cases referred to him, that the license is void. Laws passed by the last legislative assembly are ample to crush out lotteries, and influential men are eager to have Parsons prosecute them.

A Bloodthirsty Wretch.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 26.—Stanilaus Kuluchewski grew violent at some boys who threw gravel at him in an out of the way part of the city to-day, and had an altercation with one of them. A number of larger boys came to the scene out of curiosity, whereupon Stanilaus drew his knife and stabbed Lewis Kern, aged sixteen, repeatedly in the back. He then slashed Adam Bach, severing an artery, and drew his blade across Edward Baldenwake's throat. A magistrate went to-night to take the dying statement of young Kern. Bach is also in a critical condition. Baldenwake is not so seriously cut. The murderer is only 21 but has a record for sanguinary events in Erie. He is a business college student and is highly educated. He gave himself up to the authorities.

A Silver Lining.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The discovery of Mrs. Emma A. Cooper, of Fulton, as heir to an English estate of five millions just announced from Joliet, Ills., reveals a story as sad as it is romantic. Mrs. Cooper is daughter of Robert Garlick, of Devonshire, England, who married into the aristocratic family of the Fieldings. She came to this country when only five years old, and her parents dying when she was a girl, all trace of her was lost. The Fielding and Garlick estates continued to increase both by collateral and lineal descent so that to-day they amount to nearly ten millions. Mrs. Cooper's life has been checkered and sad. She not only lost her husband in the rebellion, but her children all died, so that she has for years been practically alone in the world, and has eked out a somewhat precarious existence as a milliner in Fulton. There is said to be evidence that English relatives have been endeavoring for years to make out that Mrs. Cooper was dead and thus settle the estate, but through the efforts of Mr. Mullin, a cotton manufacturer of Rhode Island, and a distant cousin of Mrs. Cooper, her whereabout were traced to Joliet and thence to Fulton.

It is not Obscene.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.—The case of the street peddlers, who have been selling copies of the "Kreutzer Sonata," was decided in their favor by Judge Thayer to-day. In his opinion the judge says: "The work may be offensive in our opinions and convictions, just as others are which are daily sold in our bookstores without objection or challenge from anybody, but it cannot be justly said to be of an obscene or lewd character; nor is it, either in its sentiments or language, in any degree calculated to minister to corrupt or licentious practices or to gratify lewd desire or to encourage depravity in any form."

Got Off Safely.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The Hamburg American steamer Wielands, which grounded on Homer shoal in lower bay last night, got off at high water early this morning. She sustained no damage and proceeded to her dock when she had landed her passengers.

Road Agents Operate.

REDDING, Cal., Sept. 26.—The Redding and Alturah stage was stopped by two masked men near here early this morning and robbed of Wells Fargo & Co.'s box and mail matter.

THE WOLCOTT'S MISSION

To Arrest "Poachers" and Prevent the Importation of Chinamen and Opium.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—A special from Washington this morning says the treasury department tries very hard to maintain secrecy regarding the mission and destination of the United States revenue cutter Wolcott, which will sail from Port Townsend, Washington, in a day or two with sealed orders, but notwithstanding all evasion the truth is known about the Wolcott's mission. When she sails from Port Townsend it will be to accomplish three great purposes: incidentally she will look for seal poachers and arrest any poachers that may cross her course, she will endeavor to intercept opium smugglers near the United States border, and will look out for the threatened influx of Chinamen now returning from canneries in British Columbia, and who will endeavor to slip into the United States. A communication was recently received from the chief of special agents stating that several hundred Chinamen now employed in canneries at Sitka, Juneau, and other points in Alaska, and also in British Columbia, will come southward early in October, when the canning season is over, and a great many will doubtless make an effort to cross the border into the United States. It is to prevent this influx that the Wolcott is ordered north. The department has also received warning from special agents that unusual activity may be expected among the opium smugglers before the winter season sets in. Something like $25,000 worth of crude opium is landed every week at Vancouver and Victoria. It is known to the treasury department that ninety per cent. of opium brought to these two cities is smuggled into the United States. Late in the fall efforts are made to put large stocks across the border to last during the winter, as smuggling then is attended with great danger and difficulty. It is known to the department, too, that several hundred Chinamen have landed in Victoria in the past few weeks.

GIVING IT UP.

The Mormons Have About Decided That One Wife is Enough.

SALT LAKE, Sept. 26.—President Woodruff, of the Mormon church, today issued a manifesto in which, referring to the statement in the report of the Utah commission that plural marriages have been solemnized during the past year, and that the leaders of the church have encouraged the continuance of polygamy, he enters a sweeping denial that any such thing has occurred.

President Woodruff further says that inasmuch as the laws forbidding polygamy have been pronounced constitutional by the court of last resort, he hereby declares his intention to submit to those laws and use his influence with the members of the church to have them do likewise. There is nothing in his teaching or that of his associates during the time specified which can reasonably be construed to inculcate or encourage polygamy, and when any elder has used language which appeared to convey such teaching he has been promptly removed.

The manifesto concludes: "I now publicly declare that my advice to the Latter Day Saints is to refrain from contracting any marriage forbidden by the law of the land."

GOT NICELY CAUGHT.

A Crowd of Chinese Captured on the American Shore—In Jail.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 26.—Twenty Chinese who were attempting to illegally enter the United States were arrested near here this afternoon after an exciting chase by Customs Inspector W. B. Jacklin and William and Frank Woodley. The inspectors had been out on a cruise since Sunday with a steam launch. This afternoon about 3 o'clock they sighted a sloop near Port Hadlock and at once bore down upon her.

The sloop was 500 yards ahead of them, and as soon as it touched the land two white men jumped ashore, and ran into the woods. The two Woodley boys spent an hour looking for them, without success, while Jacklin boarded the sloop and found twenty Chinese lying in the hold. They were packed away like sardines, and it is a mystery how they were put in the little craft, which is less than four tons burden. Wong Sing seemed to have charge of the party, and offered the customs officers three hundred dollars cash to let them land safely. They were brought here this evening and searched at the custom-house. Wong Sing was the only one who had a certificate allowing him to return to British Columbia. About sixteen of them came over from China on the last trip of the steamer Monkut to Vancouver, but gave their return certificates to the white men who were bringing them over, and it will now have to be sent back at the expense of our Government.

One of the captured band told an interpreter that they had boarded the sloop at Victoria Monday night and were to pay $40 apiece to be landed here safely. The money was to be paid in Victoria on presentation of a certificate from Wong Sing that they had arrived all right. Meanwhile the two white men who escaped have the return certificates of the Chinese in their pockets. The twenty Celestials were taken before United States Commissioner James G. Swan, and bound over, and in default of bail are in jail. The capture is one of the best ever made.

An immense assortment of Kensington Art Squares, all sizes, just received by John Weiler, 91 to 93 Fort street.

HOME AND FOREIGN.

LORD ABERDEEN ON HIS WAY TO VICTORIA.

McAuliffe and Slavin Will Fight To-Night—A Large Crowd Witnesses the Trial of O'Brien and Dillon—Siberian Prisoners to be Better Treated.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—It is stated on good authority that Slavon-McAuliffe fight will certainly come off either to-night or to-morrow night. Greatest secrecy is naturally preserved regarding all arrangements.

Date Decided Upon.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—October 10th has been decided upon as the date for a conference of the Irish Nationalist party, to be held in Dublin.

Sprigs of Shillalah.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—A large number of members of the Irish Nationalist party are in attendance to-day upon the trial of O'Brien and Dillon at Tipperary. The court room in which the trial is proceeding is crowded to the utmost capacity. Thousands of spectators and friends and sympathizers with the prisoners went to Tipperary this morning carrying shillalahs.

Solid Sympathy.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The Dock Laborers Union to-day cabled £750 to the striking dock laborers of Sydney, New South Wales.

The Tug of War.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 25.—Wool shearers in Queensland and New South Wales struck at Sydney. Employers insist on the unionists accepting the principle laid down in their recent manifesto before they will consent to hold a conference with the strikers.

Another to the List.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—Thos. J. Condon, member of Parliament for easterly division of Tipperary, was arrested at Limerick, on a warrant sworn at the time the warrants for the arrest of O'Brien and Dillon were issued. Condon was at once conveyed to Tipperary.

The Mother Love Strong.

VIENNA, Sept. 25.—A terrible deed of grief of a demented mother was made public to-day. Helen Muller, wife of master painter Moedling, near this city, lost her only child, a boy two years old, by diptheria, in February last, after an illness of only one day. The suddenness of the death appeared to paralyze the mother's brain, and make it entirely impossible for her to realize that the child was dead. Of late she has devoted almost every hour of the day to sitting on the baby's grave, and holding imaginary conversations with the dead child. One morning a week ago, the sexton discovered that the grave had been opened, the coffin lid taken off, and the body stolen by the mother, who had taken it to her home, wrapped it in a shawl, and placed it in a trunk. During the day she taken it out and caressed it, and at night while her husband slept, she had taken it to bed with her and endeavored to infuse warmth into it.

A Step From Barbarism.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 26.—A reform is about to be adopted in the treatment of female prisoners. The chief of the department of prisons proposes to substitute for corporal punishment heretofore visited upon women, a carefully graded list of banishments and solitary confinement both to take place on the Island of Sachalien in the Pacific. The solitary connnement is to be measured by the number of lashes which a violation of rules by women would now entitle them to receive. If under present law she would receive one lash with the knout the new rules will give her instead ten days of solitary confinement, and two days instead of every blow with the ordinary whip.

Lord Aberdeen en Route.

OTTAWA, Ont. Sept. 26.—Lord Aberdeen arrived here this morning en route for Manitoba, Northwest and British Columbia. He called on several Ministers of the Crown.

An Ovation.

VIEL, (Belgium) Sept. 26.—The U. S. cruiser Baltimore, which left Stockholm Tuesday morning arrived here to-day. During her stay at Stockholm courtesies were extended to the officers of the Baltimore and continued to the hour of her departure. Thousands of people lined the banks cheering and waving God speed along her course to the sea. Young girls in boats threw countless bouquets on board as the ship steamed by. This naval tribute was one which no man-of-war has ever before received. The visit of the Baltimore to Stockholm will long be remembered.

A Wise Decision.

MELBOURNE, Sept. 25.—The strike of shearers in New South Wales and Queensland is not general. At a conference of employers and strikers held at Brokenhill, it was decided that subject to consent on the part of free labor men, union members shall work 46 hours weekly at former wages, and agree to refuse to strike at bidding of other labor parties, and that future disputes shall be arbitrated. Three hundred executive officers of Victoria unions recommended the levy of a day's pay weekly to maintain strikers.

MARTYRS BY WHOLESALE.

Conflict Between Police and the Mob at the O'Brien Trial.

DUBLIN, Sept. 25.—Patrick O'Brien, M.P., was brought to this city yesterday from Cardiff, where he was arrested Tuesday. The police after placing O'Brien in prison were very reticent regarding what disposition would be made of the prisoner. Nationalists, however, learned last night that O'Brien would be conveyed to Tipperary by train leaving here this morning. They determined to surprise the authorities by the number and prominence of gentlemen taking part in it. When the officials appeared at the railway station with O'Brien they were astonished to find a large delegation of prominent Nationalists and English members of Parliament already aboard the train to accompany the prisoner. Hon. John Morley, M.P., and Alfred Imingworth, M.P., who have been in Ireland several days to investigate the extent of damage by failure of the potato crop, and commoners John Dillon, F. M. Healey, Tim Harrington and others, were among those on the train. The Nationalists accompanied the police and O'Brien to the court house. During the march cheers were given for Hon. John Morley by the large crowd, which exasperated the police, who charged on them to force the escort to move forward. John O'Connor warded off a blow from a policeman that was aimed at Morley. The court house was reached without further trouble, the street being crowded with sympathizers. Just before the hour for calling the cases the crowd outside had grown to prodigious proportions, and police were called upon to prevent entrance to the building of any except those more especially interested in the case. In carrying out these instructions the police charged the crowd, using their batons freely. For at least five minutes there was a regular stand up fight between the crowd and the police. Finally the crowd gave way and the police succeeded in maintaining a clear space in front of the court house. Wm. O'Brien at first refused to enter the building unless the general public was admitted; but he finally went in bitterly complaining of the brutality of the police. One officer struck Commoner Harrington, severely wounding him; another struck Mr. Halifax who caused a sensation by coming into court bleeding from a scalp wound, blood running over his face and neck, and completely saturating the collar of his coat. One man was struck in the face by police and had his teeth forced down his throat. Several persons were so badly injured that they were obliged to call surgical aid. John Morley entered the court greatly agitated, and appealed to the bench to prevent such brutal and wanton batoning. Both Morley and Dillon appealed to Col. Caddell to allow the public free ingress, but he peremptorily refused, but ultimately the door was thrown open and general public allowed to enter.

WESTMINSTER FAIR.

Victorians Win the Baseball and Football Games.

(Special to the TIMES.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 26.—The third and last day of the fair was a greater success than the preceding two. The weather was delightful, which compensated for previous cloudiness. The attendance at the exhibition and sports was greater than the second day. Victoria football team arrived on the morning train and commenced to play shortly after 1 p.m., before a tremendous crowd. They played a rattling, grit game all through, and when game was called had scored a goal and one try to New Westminster nothing. The passing and team play of Victorians all that could be desired. Horse races run concurrently elicited much excitement. The course at present is too new for racing, and has the disadvantage of one-half being hidden from the view of spectators on the grand stand. The one mile heat had three starters and capitally run, real blood. Cyclone, an old favorite on the Victoria track, won the first and second heats easily, being beautifully mounted. The half-mile dash, with four starters, the first heat was won by Joe Wynne, a magnificent brown gelding owned by Jas. Irwin.

THE ROBBERS CAUGHT.

Two Chinamen Arrested for a Bank Robbery.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 25.—On the arrival of the Chicago, St. Paul and Milwaukee train this morning, a detective at once placed under arrest Wing Shoo and Gee Sham, two Chinamen, on their way to New York from Portland. They are accused of the most daring and clever robbery on the night of Sept. 15th. The safe of a large banking house of the Dalles, Oregon, was blown open and robbed of $10,000. The robbers had tunnelled under the building from a long distance, and had calculated correctly where to strike the bank vault. The two Chinamen were searched, and four large knives were found in their possession, on the blades of which a sandy soil still adhered.

THE SALMON PACK.

The Outlook Said to be Bright for Quality and Price.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—The Commercial News to-day says: Salmon is in better shape than for some time past, although no material improvements is noted in prices. Some inquiries from England are reported which looks as if tide had turned there also. Alaska brands of established reputation are wanted at 95 to 97½ but holders are asking about 2½ to 5 per dozen more, and there is reason to believe they will obtain their figures. There is undoubtedly a large pack in British Columbia, but that is moving off satisfactorily, for besides requirements for England at least 100,000 cases have been sold for Australia and Canada, chiefly for the latter section, and it is reported that upwards of sixty thousand cases have already been shipped over the Canadian Pacific. But a small amount of Columbia River remains unsold, and the outlook is that little fall pack will be put up on the outside rivers, as 175,000 cases were packed last year, and those posted claim that the amount will not exceed ten thousand cases to be packed this year. There is reason for the statements that last year's enormous output will be reduced; on the other hand, Alaska may still nearly equal her large output of 1889, and if British Columbia exceeds her last year's pack, as advices seem to indicate, the supply will not be sufficient to satisfy the demand in influencing prices.

HEARD IN ENGLAND.

Some Things Eugene Field Learned in London Town.

A List of Articles to Which the English Assign Names Differing from Those We Use—Indirectness of Speech Prevails Everywhere.

You must pardon me for using that word molasses. Having lived six months in Britain I should have said treacle, writes Eugene Field in the Chicago News. I study to be correct even in little matters of this kind, but I find it very hard to conform to English as it is spoken this side of the saline pool.

Quite at random I made up a list of articles to which the English assign names differing from those we use:

That which we call a bowl is here known as a basin. In England you ask for a basin of bread and milk.

That which is known to us as a pitcher is here called a jug.

A donkey here is called a moke; in America a moke is a negro. Local slang for a cab-horse is "cat's meat," because the meat of horses is peddled around the streets for feeding to cats. By the way, British cats average much larger than our American cats, and they are notorious chicken-killers. The brindle cat seems to be the commonest.

What we call crackers are here called biscuit, and I suspect that this is strictly correct.

What we call shoes are here known as boots, and what we call boots are here known as bluchers. There is one shoe called the bilo, because it runs high from the heel up back of the ankle and is cut low in front.

Our druggist is here a chemist, many of the older practitioners retaining the old spelling—"chymist."

What we call ale is here known as bitter beer.

What is here known as a hash we should call a stew, and what we call a hash is here known as a mince.

In England our overcoat becomes a great coat, our undershirt becomes a vest, and our drawers become pantaloons. It is said that when George W. Childs, of Philadelphia, was in London a number of years ago he walked into a haberdashery, and, seeking to appear to be a native, asked to be shown the styles in silk waistcoats. "Jeemes," cried the proprietor to his assistant, "step this way and show this Hamerican gentleman our flowery weskits!"

What we call sick the Englishman calls ill; sickness here implies nausea and vomiting. The British usage is wrong; but the late Richard Grant White settled the point pretty definitely. How came the British to fall into this perversion? It was, I think, because the British can go nowhere except by water; that travel by water induces unpleasant symptoms of nausea and retching, which condition, called sickness, gradually came to be regarded as the correct definition of the word sickness. I can't imagine how the British justify their use of the words homesick, heartsick and lovesick.

Here they call a street-car a tram; correct. Here, too, an elevator is a lift, and that is right.

What we call a telegram is here called a telegraph; it will probably never be determined which of these usages is the better. Our postal-card is here a post-card; cuffs become wrists.

That material known to us as canton flannel is here called swan's-down, and our muslin is known hereabout as calico.

Our locomotive becomes engine, and our conductor is here a guard.

What we call stewing (culinary term) the British call simmering; our lunch is here a luncheon, and our baggage becomes luggage.

Our wheat is called corn, and our corn is called maize, or sometimes Indian corn. Pigs' feet are called trotters. By the way, a theatrical name for a bad actor is rotter.

A "chill" is here called a "rigor," and the eruption commonly known among us as "hives" is here known as "nettle-rash." Candy is variously known as "sweets," "sweetmeats" and "lolly."

Writing to John Smith, your social equal, you are expected to address him as John Smith, Esq.; if he be your tailor, grocer, etc., you address him as Mr. John Smith.

The word "apt" is exceedingly popular here. It is "apt to rain," "apt to be muddy," a man is "apt to go down town," a bank is "apt to suspend," etc. Even the best prints use this word as a synonym for "likely" and "like." Another barbarism everywhere prevalent in the United Kingdom is the use of the adverb "directly" for the conjunction "as soon as"—e. g., "directly he went out I shut the door." Charles Dickens, who was quite slovenly at times, seems to have been addicted to this indefensible vice.

What does this British word "lieftenant" mean? I should like to know.

"Quite" is another hackneyed word here; it is edged in upon every occasion.

The first criticism I would pass upon the press of London would be for the indirectness of its speech. When a newspaper writer wishes to convey the idea that yesterday was a pleasant day, he says: "Yesterday was not an unpleasant day." A good play is "not half bad," a humorous speech is "not unrelieved by wit," a riotously applauded address is "not wholly unaccented by demonstrations of approval," and so on ad infin. et ad naus. Now all this sort of thing may be subtile and it may be conservative, but it is not in the spirit of the Anglo-Saxon, and it vexes me to find so little of the Anglo-Saxon in the literature, the speech and the practices of the very people where I had thought to find so much.

Human Beings Ten Feet High.

In a prehistoric cemetery lately uncovered near Montpellier, in the south of France, among other things found and reported to the Paris Academy were two skulls, evidently belonging to the Aryan race, and some human bones that, judged from their proportions, must have belonged to a man at least ten feet in height.

THE COURTEOUS SWEDES.

Points Which Attract the Attention of Travelers in Oscar's Kingdom.

The beautiful politeness and courtesy of the Swedes is a thing that is very striking to visitors, writes a contributor to Temple Bar. They have a large assortment of bows, bobs, courtesies and hat-liftings, according to age and sex, but the lifting of the hat to mere acquaintances reaches, I fancy, much lower down in the social scale than elsewhere in Europe; it looks odd to see the butcher-boy in a blouse elaborately taking off his hat to the baker's assistant. I suspect, on examination, Swedish cats would be found to contain a little extra stiffening, in order to enable them to stand the wear and tear of these greetings in the market-places.

On one occasion, when going by steamboat to Upsala, I noticed a very quaint example of this National trait. The steamboat, as it nears Upsala, passes through many shallow reaches of the Malar lake, where the depth of water is insufficient to allow of the passengers being landed in the ordinary manner directly on to landing stages, and so have to be taken on shore in small boats. The ferryman on shipping his complement of passengers would first take a dozen strokes or so in order to clear the screw of the steamer, and then would carefully lay aside his oars, rise from his seat, and take off his hat with a solemn bow to the people sitting in the stern whom he had just taken off the deck of the steamer. He would then row on again and put them ashore. This did not occur as an isolated instance, but regularly every time the passengers had to be landed by shore-boats.

The women of the middle and lower classes are little if at all behind their husbands and brothers in this matter. Their good temper and pretty behavior are worthy of all praise. The servant girls in Dalecarlian peasant dress, the *cafe-mamselles* and the young persons employed in shops all make the prettiest of all possible little bob courtesies, and so, oddly enough, do the young ladies of good family up to the day of their confirmation, which ceremony takes place rather later than with us, generally about the age of sixteen. From that day forth they put their hair up and take to bowing.

The Upsala students amuse one a good deal by the elaboration and ceremoniousness of their manners. Any day during the vacation a few of them may be seen gathered around a table in the garden cafes of Hasselbacken or Tivoli, drinking their punch. They are mostly lads under twenty, but they bow to each other, and make little civil speeches, and pledge each other with solemn salutation, all according to the strictest Swedish etiquette, as if they were middle-aged gentlemen of high dignity and position but slightly acquainted with one another. They certainly take themselves very seriously.

The custom of pledging or health-drinking is a survival from very ancient times. The glass is raised, a slight bow made, the word *skal* (literally bow) pronounced, followed by another slight bow, when the glass is replaced on the table, generally empty; it is not *de rigueur*, however, that it should be so, but in Denmark, where a similar custom obtains, the glass must always be drained to the last drop. To English eyes it appears quaint to see this complicated ceremonial observed toward each other by college companions not yet out of their teens.

Another point which soon attracts the attention of visitors is the punctilious honesty and truthfulness of the Swedes; this is best seen in the many little incidents of daily life. When asking for places at the theater, for instance, the ticket clerk never fails to inform you if, owing to the crowded state of the house, a better position would be secured with a cheaper ticket than the one asked for. Again, when parcels are taken out by steamers from Stockholm to country places in the neighborhood they are just thrown out on to the quay, where they frequently remain half the day without being claimed. It never seems to occur to any one that they could possibly be taken by any one but their rightful owners. On a trip of any length, as for instance to Gothenburg by canal, a little book lies in the saloon of the steamer in which each passenger keeps his own account of the number of meals, cafes, cognacs, etc., he may take during the journey. But, indeed, it is impossible to talk to a Swede for any length of time and not see how incapable of any meanness or dishonesty he must be. There is nearly always a simplicity and straightforwardness of manner the very antipodes of affectation, which is certainly a very pleasing attribute, and which can scarcely fail to convince the least observant person that he has before him a man who thoroughly respects himself, and who walks very steadfastly on the straight line. The Swedes, you feel, are a nation of gentlemen down to the coal-heavers and the wharf-men.

A Necklace of Human Eyes.

The wife of W. E. Curtis, of Washington, says the St. Louis Republic, is the possessor of a most uncanny ornament in the shape of a necklace made of human eyes. The eyes were taken from Peruvian mummies, polished and placed in their present sittings. Accounts given out a few years ago, when the necklace was being made, said that the eyes were those of a kind of fish which, owing to the human eye's proneness to decay, had been substituted, but an embalmer who could preserve fish eyes for centuries would also understand how to harden the pulpy matter of the human eye.

What the Negro Was Reading.

A party of ladies and gentlemen passed a table in the Congressional library a day or two ago at which a very black man was seated, apparently deeply engrossed in a volume spread before him. His appearance was that of a field hand in costume and general make-up, and he was as black as the ace of spades. One of the party, interested in learning the book which occupied the colored man's time, discovered by looking over his shoulder, that it was "The Laws of Evolution."

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In conversation with a Post-Intelligencer reporter, Mr. Johnson said: "These fish were caught in a large seine at Maredosie, on the Illinois river, about fifty miles from Quincy, where the headquarters are in charge of Dr. S. P. Bartlett. We do not take the fish from the river itself, but from the sloughs and bayous, which are flooded in the spring. The high water carries the fish into these inlets and leaves them there, and if we did not take them they would die when the water dries up in summer. We take all together and do not sort them out, and thus have a number of varieties here.

It requires great care to carry the fish alive from one place to another. The water has to be changed twice a day and the temperature has to be kept even, ranging from 53 to 62 degrees, which requires a man constantly watching. We regulate it by means of ice in summer and in winter by steam which we make in boilers on the car. The fish are put in tanks in the bottom of the car, and we also have galvanized iron cans in the car itself. We have to be very careful about the water we put them in, especially in the sections where alkali water is found, for if we used water strongly impregnated with alkali, we should lose them all. We have been very fortunate with this lot, for we only lost about 100 of them, though they have been in the car six days."

"What are the characteristics of these fish?"

"The black bass is the finest kind of game fish, and propagates rapidly. It will live peaceably with the trout, for it only eats small fish, and it will soon spread into the other lakes and streams for it is a river fish. These we have brought out are pretty well grown, ranging in weight from half a pound to a pound, and some of them are twelve inches long. The crappie is a fine food fish, resembling the perch. The catfish we have brought are the channel catfish and will not hurt other fish, for they live on vegetable matter. They should be left alone for two or three years to give them a chance to propagate."

"Some objection has been made to planting these fish here, on the ground that they would interfere with the trout and that we already have the best food fish in the shape of salmon," remarked the reporter.

"Well, they will not interfere with the trout, and it looks as though the salmon would be extinct before many years, as the supply is decreasing on this coast."

"You must get through a deal of work in a year."

"Yes, we put out 150,000,000 shad last spring all along the Atlantic coast. The shad are increasing on this coast also. When Professor Baird was commissioner twelve years ago he sent some shad fry to the Sacramento river and now that is one of the best shad rivers in the country. The shad is a salt water fish, going up the rivers to spawn, and, I understand, is working into the Columbia. We have also made three trips to Yellowstone park to plant trout. The cars are out constantly from July to November, and there is very little rest for us. This car travels 25,000 to 30,000 miles a year, and has been in every state and territory in the Union. It is no easy life, and we are so constantly on the move that we have little chance to see the towns we visit or to make acquaintances. Still we get so thoroughly accustomed to traveling that we cannot settle down anywhere."

THE CIGARETTE FIEND

May Be Known by His Emaciated and Haggard Appearance.

In a letter descriptive of the recent reunion and parade of the "Native Sons of the Golden West" at San Francisco, the sprightly correspondent of the Oakland Times comments on the apparent results of habitual cigarette smoking. The "Native Sons" are young men born in California. The climate of that state is admittedly good. The pioneers of the state were mostly hardy and robust. The older men are generally of large frame and full development. The young women born in the state are notably well developed. Some of the young men are fine specimens of manhood, but a very large percentage of them are puny, weak, narrow-chested. This has often been observed. The Times' correspondent calls attention to it, and cites the appearance of the young men in the parade. His theory—not a new one—is that the doped cigarette is responsible for the deterioration of California virility.

There is something in this. Cigarette smoking by boys has for many years been an evil in California, and has spread to this and other Pacific coast regions. There is no doubt at all that the habitual use of large quantities of cigarettes produces very bad results both to body and mind. Undoubtedly a strong constitution would not be seriously injured by the moderate use of cigarettes, but their excessive use will work injury to the strongest man. All cigarettes are made attractive to the smoker by being impregnated with opium in some form and to some degree; so is the tobacco which is prepared for sale to those persons who prefer to roll their own cigarettes. The boy who becomes an habitual and excessive cigarette smoker is stunted and repressed in bodily development and injured in mind. Not only is his own life dwarfed and warped by the poison, but his progeny are weakened, for "the sins of the father shall be visited upon the children even unto the third and fourth generation."

The cigarette fiend is in a less degree an opium fiend. He may be "spotted" anywhere by the experienced eye. The shrunken, contracted chest; the sickly and more or less haggard face; the half-dazed expression of the eyes; the nervous twitching of every muscle or nerve; the ever-wearied condition of the body; the soured and cankered state of the mind, requiring an effort to arouse to cheerfulness—all these are indications of the cigarette fiend. Follow one so marked into his den, and you will find him surrounded by cigarettes and inhaling the smoke of the drugged tobacco.—Seattle Telegraph.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Items of Interest Received by Telegraph from Different Points.

A Kingston dispatch says that the McKinley bill has created a great demand for vessels to carry grain to United States ports. Lambs, sheep, and cattle are being hurried across the lake, and as transports on the United States railways is impossible, farms at Cape Vincent and other points have been leased and are being stocked. Double as much barley as before this date has been placed in Oswego warehouses this season.

The Roman Catholic missionary near Calgary is at present contemplating giving effect to a scheme which has been suggested to him, and which consists in supplying wives to a number of young Canadians established throughout the Northwest Territory. The French press look upon the project favorably.

Secretary of State Chapleau says that all the talk of the approaching dissolution of the House is sheer nonsense. No Government in the face of the census, which is to be taken next year, and which will certainly cause a redistribution of seats, would think of dissolving the House. There will be no election, he says, until the expiration of the present parliament.

Fire broke out at midnight of the 24th in E. W. Milsap's general store and dwelling on the north side of Main street, Odessa. E. W. Milsap's store and dwelling, Bond's dry goods and general store, Murphy & Sons' boots and shoes, C. W. Emmon's dwelling and butcher shop, and A. W. Baker's house and shop were destroyed when the fire was got under control. Loss, $13,000.

One hundred thousand acres of land have been claimed by the parents of families of twelve or more children in Quebec.

The Canadian Pacific Railway are now laying the foundation for the new grain elevator at Richford, Vt. on their line to Boston, with a capacity of 500,000 bushels. The object of this is to free cars when any delay is occasioned by the non-readiness of steamers in Boston and Atlantic ports.

In reply to Merrill, who wrote Sir J. Macdonald asking him to support a grant to the volunteers of 1837, the Premier stated that the claim should be addressed to the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, as the representatives from other provinces would oppose a vote for such a purpose.

A naval officer says that the forts in and around Halifax are supplied with sufficient powder to blow up the combined navies of the world.

On the night of the 21st a man named Slater, or Petty, presumably from Michigan, arrived at Ridgetown in company with a lady, said to be his daughter, and registered at the Lisgar House. The gentleman complained of being unwell and a doctor was called in, but during the night the man grew worse and died. The woman left for Detroit next morning, leaving the remains.

A farmer and his wife who were selling honey on the market in Hamilton, a few days ago, had a lively time. A swarm of bees which were out on a little toot, took possession of the wagon, and the proprietors of the honey had to shut up shop temporarily. Some of the bees got tangled in the woman's drapery, and she climbed out of the wagon with celerity.

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR.—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. daw

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Public Library.

Owing to the removal to New Rooms the Library which was closed on WEDNESDAY, the 10th, is to be re-opened on Friday the 26th Sept., in the City Hall building on Douglas street.

By order of Committee.

JAS. McGREGOR,
sep18-tf Librarian.

—THE—
Cowichan and Salt Spring Island AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
WILL HOLD THEIR
23d ANNUAL EXHIBITION
IN THE SOCIETY'S GROUNDS AT
Duncan's Station,
—ON—
SATURDAY, SEPT. 27, 1890.

The E. and N. R'y Co., will issue return tickets at Single Fare from all points on the line on the day of Exhibition.

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THE REV. C. J. BRENTON, M.A.,
Begs to announce that on and after this date
J. W. CHURCH, ESQ., M.A.,
Will become associated with him as Joint Head Master of Corrig College. Mr. Church has been Head Master of the Middlesborough Grammar School, England, for the past five years, and is a Prizeman, Scholar, and Master of Arts of the Durham University, a first-class in the Theo. Exam. of the University of Cambridge, and a Student in Philosophy of the University of Edinburgh; he has a Diploma from the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education as Science Master, and has passed over 200 candidates in the University Matriculation and Degree Exams., Cambridge and Durham Locals, Legal, Medical, Pharmaceutical and Commercial Exams.
School Year Begins Tuesday, Sept. 9th.
To ensure admission this year an early application should be made.
Corrig College, Victoria, B. C. sep5-1m

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Columbia & Kootenay Steam Navigation Co. d.
THE STEAMER

LYTTON,
WILL LEAVE REVELSTOKE EVERY
Monday and Thursday at 4 a.m.
FOR
SPROAT & LITTLE DALLES
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33 CASES PER S.S. ABYSSINIA
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Beautiful carved black wood Brackets, Book Shelves and corner Whatnots.
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Various Ornaments in bronze and antimony.
Curious paintings on glass.
Silk, quilted Skirts, embroidered Squares, richly embroidered Curtains, embroidered Dressing Gowns.
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Choice teas from Japan and India.
Try our Brand of M. F. Blended Japan and Indian Teas.
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FIRST-CLASS ISLAND HAY
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ALSO A LOT OF ½ BERKSHIRE PIGS
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Those adhering to the envelope on which they prepaid postage preferred.
$2 per dozen will be paid by
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First Annual Exhibition
OF PAINTINGS
To be held in the City Hall, Victoria, B.C., commencing Sept. 24th, and remaining open for two weeks.
Doors open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., and from 6 p.m., to 10.30 p.m.
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E. S. SHRAPNEL, Esq., Vice-President.
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T. BAMFORD, Esq., Secretary.
se11-1m

North & South Saanich
Agricultural Association
WILL HOLD THEIR
22nd ANNUAL FAIR,
ON
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1890,
At the Association Grounds, South Saanich.
Refreshments of all kinds can be had on the grounds.
GRAND BALL in the evening. Tickets $2.00
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NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN J. P. Matthews and A. M. Bannerman running under the firm name of J. P. Matthews and Company has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Bannerman continuing the business who will collect all outstanding debts and pay all liabilities. The late firm solicit for favors in the past and hope for a continuance of the same to the firm.

A. M. BANNERMAN.
J. P. MATTHEWS.
se17-2w

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT "THE BRITISH Columbian Investment and Loan Society Limited," will, after the expiration of three months from the date hereof, apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to have its name changed to "The British Columbia Deposit and Loan Company, Limited."

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion street, Victoria.
Dated the 27th day of Aug. A.D. 1890. au28-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 12 of Subsection XXIX Beckley Farm, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE of TITLE of William Watt, of Victoria City, Province of British Columbia, to Lot 12 of subsection XXIX, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, bearing date the 28th day of May, 1883, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry office
Victoria, Sept. 3, 1890. se3-1m

In the matter of Christopher Webb, Deceased Intestate
AND
In the matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, the undersigned has been authorized to administer the personal estate of the late Christopher Webb.

Therefore all persons having claims against the said estate, and all persons indebted thereto are hereby required to send in such claims and pay such indebtedness to the undersigned.

W. M. MONTEITH,
se16-1m Official Administrator.

NOTICE.

The Union Colliery Co., of British Columbia. (Limited Liability.)

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Stockholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 1st day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.
12th September, 1890. se12-td

NOTICE.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday the 1st day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Victoria 12th September 1890.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
sep12-td Secretary.

MUNICIPAL.

COURT OF REVISION.

An Adjourned Sitting of this Court will be held on Monday next, the 29th of September instant, in the Council Chambers at 11 a.m.

Parties interested will please take notice of this, and govern themselves accordingly.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Hall, Sept. 22, 1890. se23 C.M.C.

SEWERAGE PLANS.

The above Plans, as amended by Rudolph Hering's Plans, are on view at the

City Surveyor's Office,
CITY HALL.

Ratepayers will be given all explanations they require by applying to the City Surveyor P. J. Leech.

(Colonist copy.) sep12-tf

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO amend the Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Section three of the Revenue By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890 is hereby amended as follows:—

By striking out the figures "$10" in the 3rd line thereof and substituting therefore the following words "five dollars provided however that no Proprietor or Manager of any theatre shall be required to pay in respect of such exhibitions sums in the aggregate greater than the sum of $30 per month."

This By-Law may be cited as "The Revenue By-Law Further Amendment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of September, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 17th day of September, A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. sep19-tf

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HAVANA CIGARS.
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feb20-f

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New Wellington Coal & First-Class Wood,
Delivered to any part of the city at lowest market prices.
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Real Estate & Financial Brokers,
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WM. TEMPLEMAN Manager.

WHY DID BOWELL HURRY AWAY?

We would not be impertinent, but we cannot resist the temptation to inquire of the Colonist the real cause of Mr. BOWELL's hasty exit from Victoria. The Chinese, grateful for past favors, and for more in anticipation, were going to banquet the gentleman. Did Mr. BOWELL hurry away on that account? Did he, profiting by the sad experience of callow DEWDNEY, elect to get out of this radical vicinity with the least possible delay? At this juncture, Mr. BOWELL the honored guest of a score of Celestials and compelled to deprecate the per capita tax on top of a gorge of roast pig, would not cut a very pretty political figure. Sir JOHN would have to get his muzzle out again. Mr. BOWELL, however, might have met the Celestials as he did the last time he was in town, nocturnally and in a private room. There he could have discussed the relations of the Dominion to China, and have laid stress on the fact that it was not the Government, but the confounded workingman who favored the per capita tax. Mr. BOWELL did quite right in getting out of the country as quickly as possible. It is to be regretted, however, that the press is denied the pleasure of publishing a post prandial oration of his, growing out of Chinese hospitality and the necessity of Chinese labor as a factor inseperable from progress.

WHAT IS THE LIBERAL POLICY?

The Montreal Gazette, always calm, insinuatingly inquires anent the situation engendered by the MCKINLEY bill, "What is their policy," having reference, of course, to the Liberals. "What remedy," continues the Gazette, "do they think Canada possesses? How would they apply it?" The Gazette propounds these questions upon the assumption that the United States are not to be induced to reciprocate under any circumstances. If it be true that the United States will not reciprocate under any circumstances, the Liberals, it must be admitted, would have some difficulty in applying their doctrine. They had as well, indeed, shut up their free trade shop, and resume business as ultra protectionists, and not only ask, but beg, that an additional ten or twenty per cent. be put on top of the FOSTER tariff. But in the face of the democratic party solid for free trade, together with the schism of reciprocity which has broken out in the Republican ranks, the question put by the Gazette appears superfluous. In the near future, we apprehend, the Liberal party of Canada should have no difficulty in applying their doctrine. There is this much about it, however, Canada need not look for reciprocity in natural products alone. To expect that of the Americans is to presume that they have lost their heads for business. Canada will have to make concessions, that is to say, that inasmuch as reciprocity with natural or raw products is out of the question, no matter which party may be in power, Canada may expect to admit American manufactured goods free, as the price for the development of her natural resources. These, roughly speaking, are the conditions which will be necessary to reciprocity with the States. Canada cannot have reciprocity and protect all of her manufactures at the same time. In the matter of products, etc., which we import from the United States, over forty per cent are admitted free. We do that in the interest of our manufacturers. On the other hand, the Americans tax all our natural products. How, then, can we expect the Americans to accept reciprocity in natural products? One of the reasons given by the Americans for the abrogation of the old treaty was that it was jug-handled. We sent large quantities of raw material to the States, but they were not allowed to pay for them in free manufactured goods. In other words, while we wanted them to admit our raw material free, we refused them the admission of their manufactured goods on the same terms. This was what the Americans called a jug-handled arrangement, and it must be admitted that the characterization was essentially correct. Nothing is more certain than that the United States will not reciprocate with us on our own terms. If we would sell them our raw material we must expect to take some of their manufactured goods in return. Hence, the policy of the Liberals is plain, together with the manner of effecting it. The Gazette in fact had no need to ask the question, and we feel assured that it only did so in an idle mood. The question, therefore, the Canadians have to decide is, not whether the United States will reciprocate, but whether we can afford to reciprocate on such terms, as the Americans shall stipulate. If the manufacturing combines are a first and last consideration; if the perpetuity of these institutions is inseparable from Canadian development, then let all thoughts of reciprocity with the States be abandoned. If on the other hand, the interests of the Canadian farmer are paramount; if in the development of our latent natural resources, we have a compensation for the alleged destruction of manufacturing combines, that would supervene as the consequence of the influx of American manufactured goods, then is reciprocity a desideratum, and no time should be lost in an attempt to effect its consummation. We may be wrong, but we regard reciprocity as the only preventative we have for annexation. The affections of people run in the direction of their pecuniary interests. Give Canada a substitue for the $17,000,000 market annually which she is about to lose, and in the place of the sentiment of annexation we shall have that of Canadian independence. The pillar of support for Canada is her agricultural population. Distress the farmer and there is not a manufacturing interest in Canada that will not suffer. Continue to protect the manufacturer at the expense of the producer of raw products, put the cart before the horse, as it were, and wave the Union Jack as much as you may, the direction of public gaze will still be in the direction of the States. The Union Jack cannot be likened to a serpent set up on a pole that those who look at it may find hope, consolation and profit for unsold produce. Between annexation and plenty, and between poverty and sentiment, the thickest skinned Tory is bound in the end to choose the former. If we were annexationists we should applaud the policy of Sir JOHN MACDONALD.

Supplementary to the forgoing as showing the significance of the McKINLEY bill to Canada, and particularly as showing that in Sir JOHN's Morrisburg speech we have the fake of the mountebank rather than the utterances of a statesman, we quote the Montreal Witness in a table prepared by the Government itself as showing the countries to which goods, the produce of Canada, were exported, and the proportionate value of the same in the years 1876 and 1888.

COUNTIES.	Value of Exports, Domestic, 1878.	Percentage.	Value of Exports, Domestic, 1888.	Percentage.
Great Britain	$35,861,110	52.75	$33,648,384	41.35
United States	24,338,009	35.80	40,407,483	49.65
France	340,891	0.50	382,651	0.47
Germany	111,317	0.16	192,773	0.23
Holland	58,750	0.08	.....	....
Belgium	49,908	0.07	16,957	0.02
Austria	11,510	0.02	4,398	0.01
Russia	.....	....	10,164	0.01
Spain	47,816	0.07	52,095	0.06
Portugal	104,028	0.15	95,821	0.19
Italy	151,861	0.22	55,090	0.07
Norway and S	133,188	0.20	82,613	0.10
Greece	.....	....	7,804	0.01
China	102,517	0.15	72,107	0.09
Japan	.....	....	56,179	0.07
B. West Indies	1,926,253	2.83	1,465,423	1.80
Spanish do	1,025,461	1.52	1,018,402	1.25
French do	246,003	0.36	48,871	0.06
Dutch do	69,350	0.10	31,115	0.04
Danish do	5,920	0.01	.....	....
Brit'h Guiana	189,289	0.28	206,475	0.25
Brazil	.....	....	333,265	0.41
Chili	.....	....	141,339	0.17
Peru	.....	....	16,994	0.02
Arg. Republic	.....	....	665,946	0.82
Uruguay	.....	....	70,993	0.09
Mexico	38,833	0.06	36,800	0.04
B. E. Indies	848	....	1,196	....
Newfoundland	1,838,656	2.71	1,422,802	1.76
St. Pierre	135,189	0.20	210,553	0.26
Sandwich Is.	24,689	0.04	16,495	0.02
Australia	366,728	0.54	445,849	0.55
New Zealand	13,068	0.02	2,186	....
Gibraltar	3,178	....	704	....
Maderia	23,667	0.04	16,591	0.02
British Africa	46,365	0.07	25,407	0.03
Labrador	15,073	0.02	400	....
South America	605,495	0.89	.....	....
Other cou'ries	53,731	0.08	50,066	0.07
Total	$67,989,600	100.00	$81,302,072	100.00

"In the first place observe that to countries other than Great Britain and the United States the total exports of Canada amount to less than $8,000,000. Yet Sir John Macdonald talks about finding a market in Japan, China and Australia, or some other place for an export trade of $16,000,000 or $17,000,000, as if it were possible to find it in a year or two.

"Compare the exports to foreign countries other than Great Britain and the United States during the years 1878 and 1888 and it will be seen that the export trade has been at an absolute standstill for ten years. How are we going suddenly to increase it from $7,000,000 to $24,000,000? By finding a market in China, or Japan, or Australia? China affords a truly promising aspect. Our exports to China have actually decreased from $102,517, or 3-20 of 1 per cent. of the whole export trade in 1878, to $72,107, or less than one-tenth of 1 per cent in 1888. Our exports to Japan amounted to $56,179 in 1888, and $11,238 in 1889—which affords a truly encouraging prospect. To Australia, Canada exported $366,728 in 1878, and $445,849 in 1888, but to establish a market of seventeen millions of dollars worth of goods at the rate of $80,000 of increase in ten years would take just two thousand years! Our commercial history shows there are only two markets which Canada can greatly increase or reduce, and these two are Great Britain and the United States. If any great reduction in the volume of trade to these countries is suffered by Canada it is absolutely hopeless to look elsewhere to make it up. Sir John Macdonald and the Government organs in drawing pleasing prospects of suddenly acquired immense trades with other countries are merely conjuring up mirages which can have no reality. Sir John Macdonald talks about finding a market in Great Britain for the eggs now exported to the United States. Last year 98 dozen, of the value of $18, were exported to Great Britain, against 14,011,017 dozen of the value $2,156,725 to the United States. All other countries together took less than 17,000 dozen. Glittering generalities such as Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper are so fond of fooling the people of Canada with at serious crises of our history should not deceive the simplest mind for one moment."

If, after the most superficial study of the foregoing table and the comments thereon, it does not appear that the alternative of reciprocity or annexation is inevitable, the reader is just simply befogged by the density of his own prejudices.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. RUSSELL SAGE has agreed to lend $125,000 to enable Rev. Dr. TALMAGE to complete his new Tabernacle in Brooklyn, and just as soon as certain details are settled $80,000 will be paid over to the church people. Mr. SAGE will have a varied assortment of securities against loss, including an insurance policy on the pastor's life, the bonds of the Tabernacle's board of trustees, the value of the land on which the new structure is going up, and a guarantee title to the property. The loan is to run for one year at six per cent. interest.

STANLEY's book regarding the African expedition, which is a costly luxury so far as the general reader is concerned, will soon be supplemented by the accounts of the other members of the expedition. Mr. STANLEY's lieutenants were prohibited by agreement from issuing any books on the subject for six months after his appeared. That time is nearly up, and further accounts are pretty certain to be forthcoming. Mr. JEPSON, who spent nine months alone with EMIN PASHA, will issue one, and the diary and letters of the late Major BARTTELOT will also be published. Dr. PARKE, it is believed, will write on the medical and scientific aspect of the journey, and Canadians would, no doubt, eagerly read the story of their own countryman, Lieut. STAIRS.

One of the funniest of the many ridiculous duels by means of which Frenchmen are wont to satisfy their outraged feelings was that recently fought between M. MERMEIX, author of the Boulangist exposures, and the first of the seven gentlemen who challenged him because of his statements with regard to the General's plottings. M. MERMEIX's adversary, it seems, had received without knowing it a slight scratch, and, upon being informed of the fact by his second, stopped to inquire where he was hurt, whereupon M. MERMEIX accidentally jabbed him in the hand, inflicting the only real injury suffered in a French duel since M. FLOQUET in his fight with Gen. BOULANGER occidentally slashed the latter across the neck. The funniest feature of the MERMEIX duel, however, is that the other six challengers maintain that the journalist jabbed his antagonist intentionally, that for this reason he is not a gentleman, and therefore that they cannot condescend to fight with him. Where, oh where, is Sir ANDREW AGUECHEEK?

THE LABOR QUESTION.

The Pope Has Directed His Theologians to Consider Its Moral Side.

As respects the relations of capital to labor the Conference will have plain sailing. The Roman discipline sets out the *peccata clamitantia*, or sins which especially cry aloud, as: 1. Wilful murder. 2. The sin of Sodom. 3. Oppression of the poor. Any abuse of money to extort more labor than is fairly paid for is already condemned.

As to labor itself the conclusions of the Conference will be of interest. The legal right of a man to give or withhold his labor at pleasure, no contract being broken, is unquestioned; how far this obtains in the moral order is a matter which comes fairly before the Conference.

It is a man's duty to support his wife and children. If he cannot provide them with a full loaf is he justified in refusing to accept half? Can he, in conscience, starve them to-day in hopes of feasting them to-morrow?

It is a man's duty to pay his debts. Is he justifiable in refusing to do so when the means are in his power?

Is it right for A voluntarily to cast the burden of his support on B? Is it right for B to sustain A in his quarrel at the expense of his (B's) family or creditors?

On these and cognate questions the coming ethical Conference will doubtless make a deliverance which will influence to a greater or less degree a large body of citizens.

How Smokeless Powder is Made.

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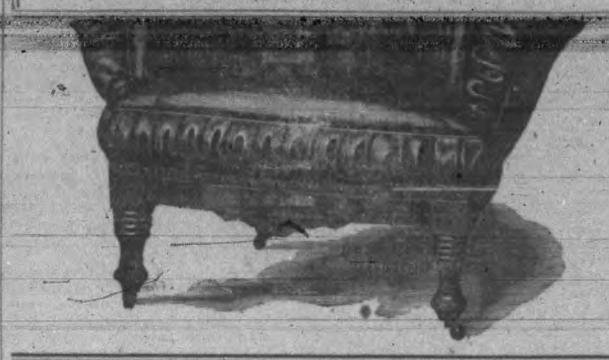

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Oct. 2, 3 and 4.

NOTICE REGARDING RULES 6 and 7.

Parties exhibiting thoroughbred stock and not being in possession of a certified pedigree, will not be debarred from exhibiting such stock, but exhibitors will have to give satisfactory proof that such is thoroughbred if the judges require it.

C. E. RENOUF, Secretary.

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VICTORIA, OCTOBER 2, 3, 4.

DIVISION B DRAUGHT HORSES.

Classes 16 and 17 are hereby cancelled, and in lieu thereof the following has been inserted:

Class	1st prize.	2nd prize.
16 Clydesdale Stallion	$20	$10
17 " Mare	10	5
16 a Suffolk Punch Stallion	20	10
17 a " " Mare	10	5
16 b Percheron Stallion	20	10
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NOTICE to MARINERS

THE MASTERS AND PILOTS BRINGING in vessels to Victoria Harbor and wishing to anchor after having done so temporarily must apply at once to the Harbor Master for an anchorage berth.

W. R. CLARKE, Harbor Master.

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(Colonist copy.)

NOTICE to MARINERS

AS WORK WILL AT ONCE BE COMMENCED to take out Beaver Rock it is requested, that all vessels coming in or going out of Victoria Harbor must give the scows or barges employed in this work as broad a birth as possible, and also to go at a slow speed.

A red light will be exhibited on the s. e. corner of the scow or barge from dark until daylight, while the work is being done.

W. R. CLARKE, Harbor Master.

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(Colonist copy.)

Dressmaking

Mrs. Willis wishes to inform her customers that she has removed her dressmaking establishment from over the City House, to 196 Yates near Quadra streets.

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Back of Blanchard St. Presbyterian Church.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Weather prophets predict a week's rain on a great while.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

A very intelligent looking Irish setter dog awaits its owner at the police court.

Don't fail to attend the clearing sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

Harvest thanksgiving at Cedar Hill has been fixed for October 7th at three o'clock.

If you want to get bargains in shoes come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

The festival of the harvest home will be held at Metchosin on Monday the 29th inst., at 8 p. m.

Some of the latest novelties in the new lot of silverware just received by Lange & Co.

The death is announced of Mrs. Hague, wife of S. Hague of the Dew Drop Hotel, Nanaimo.

There will be a special meeting of the board of aldermen this evening to consider some few matters municipal.

Two drunks, an assault case, and the Chinese perjury case was the programme at the police court this morning.

Jas. Abrams of the B. C. Tannery, Nanaimo, has returned from the east with new ideas and machinery and the tannery.

A clerk in a Government street office has signified his intention of going to Shawnigan lake on Sunday. Naval offices beware!

A new whistle has been put in position at the Albion iron works that makes a noise loud enough to wake any boiler maker.

Delegates from the Single Tax Club in Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster, will meet in Vancouver about October 1st, to consider more effective methods of disseminating their principles.

The genial and well-known chief engineer of the steamer Rithet, Mr. J. A. McArthur, has had another olive branch added to his family, a little baby of the gentler sex being now in possession of the McArthur residence.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well-known People in Various Directions.

R. Grant of Vancouver is in the city.

Col. Prior is expected home from Ottawa this evening.

Rev. Canon Brigstocke, St. John, N. B., is at the Driard.

Mrs. L. M. Starr and son of Oakland, Cala., are in the city.

Col. and Mrs. Landes of Port Townsend are in the city.

J. R. Tait of Whatcom, formerly of this city, is over on a visit.

A. J. W. Bridgman and bride have returned from their honeymoon trip.

J. A. Thompson, inspector of steamboats went over to Vancouver this morning.

M. J. Conlin and wife have just returned from a trip to Harrison Hot Springs.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Dr. Hickey and Inspector Young left by the Umatilla to-day for 'Frisco.

E. J. Lanning of Isom, Lanning & Co., Albany, Gre., is at the Driard. He remains until Monday evening.

W. G. Parmalee, assistant commissioner of customs leaves for the Sound by the City of Kingston this evening.

J. Day and bride, nee Miss Price, left by the North Pacific yesterday morning to spend a few days in the Sound cities.

W. J. Stevenson and wife have returned from a 10 days trip to the Harrison Hot Springs, much improved by their expedition.

Mrs. J. Christie, and Miss Carrie Christie, mother and sister of Mr. W. Christie of this city, will leave Halifax, N. S., on the 8th of October for Victoria.

F. W. Dowling of the C. P. R. telegraph office at Vancouver, is at present in the office at Victoria, where he will hold the wire for a couple of weeks during Mr. Davey's absence.

John Richards, who for eleven years past has been in the employ of the Hudson Bay Co., has resigned his position and will take a trip to Europe in the course of a month. He will be absent about a year.

City Treasurer Kent and Mrs. Kent returned last night from a week's trip to Tacoma and Seattle. Mr. Kent has not visited the Sound cities for ten years, and the great progress he noticed was of course something astonishing.

THE TARIFF BILL.

The Bounty on Sugar Fixed—Delegation Refused a Hearing.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 25.—The conference on the tariff bill met this morning and remained in session three hours. At noon the whole conference adjourned. Major McKinley stated to a reporter of the United Press that no agreement had been reached on sugar or binding twine. Senator Voorhees said in committee that the conference will likely work on the bill all day.

Most of the morning was spent by the conference in going over all Reed's schedules, that is the schedules which have been agreed upon by Republican conferees, and which have not been submitted to the Democratic conferees heretofore. During the conference Senator Gibson and several members of a local delegation appeared at the door of the finance committee room, and asked that they be given a hearing on sugar, but the conferees refused to hear them.

A member of the local delegation said to a United Press reporter that the conferees had reached an understanding by which the bounty to be paid on sugar would be two cents a pound on all above 90, and one and three-quarter cents on all between 80 and 90. The bill as it passed the House and Senate provided for a duty of two cents per pound on all sugar above 80. About one-half the crop of sugar runs between 80 and 90, and the loss of one quarter of a cent per pound on this, the Louisiana members say, will be a serious matter. Louisiana members understand that while no positive agreement has been reached, there is an understanding that sugar is to be free up to November 16.

MOTHERS IN FICTION.

Chiefly Conspicuous by Their Absence and Not Always Admirable.

A vigorous search has recently been made in novels for the admirable mother in fiction, and it gave the searchers a shock that she failed to materialize. The father, the brother, sister, cousins, aunts and even grandmother, are often drawn with a loving pencil, but the mother is always a subordinate character if introduced at all.

Perhaps because his own mother was so unsatisfactory Dickens never put one in a novel of his than does race be mentioned in connection with his benign fathers. Here is the list:

"Our Mutual Friend"—Mrs. Wilfer (outrageous).

"Dombey and Son"—Mrs. Skewton (a libel on the sex).

David Copperfield's mother is an amiable fool; Mrs. Steerforth impossible and horrible; Mrs. Heep a mate for her husband; Mrs. Micawber a caricature.

In "Bleak House"—Lady Dedlock a mother who abandoned her child; Mrs. Jellyby one who neglected her children for a hobby.

In "The Tale of Two Cities" the mother dies before the story begins.

Then there is Mrs. Coleman (a criminal), Mrs. Merdle and Mrs. Gowan (worldly), and Mrs. Meagles (nice but weak-minded in "Little Dorrit"). Dickens' mothers are all objectionable.

Thackeray's only concession is Mrs. Pendennis. Mrs. Edmonds' maternal qualities are not strong.

Who does not love the gentle Vicar of Wakefield and his homely, tender philosophy? His gentleness is illustrated by his constant excuses for his nagging wife.

George Eliot ignores mothers. Mrs. Poyser is the most successful, but she comes of the lower order. Mrs. Harleth and her whole family are ruled by Gwendoline. Mrs. Tulliver and Mrs. Deane in "The Mill on the Floss" are almost imbecile. The wonder is that they had such remarkable children.

Jane Eyre has two thoroughly cruel and offensive, Lady Ingram and Mrs. Reed.

Pisistratus' mother in Bulwer Lytton's novel, "The Caxtons," is a tender and loving woman—an exception to the rule. Charles Reade has one respectable mother, Mrs. Little ("Put Yourself in His Place"), but Wilkie Collins falls in with the custom very naturally.

Ouida's mothers are nearly all detestable.

Robert Elsmere is the one exception. The tiresome hero of that novel would have done well to have been endowed with his mother's intellect cheerfulness and vigor. But interesting as she is, her maternal influence did not go far. Amelie Rives has a cruel and heartless mother in "The Witness of the Sun," who sacrifices her son's happiness to satisfy her selfish passion. In Mrs. Catherwood's stories the mother is conspicuously absent. And so on and so on indefinitely.

COUNT ZICHY'S JOKE.

How a Hungarian Nobleman Outwitted a Vienna Customs Officer.

The famous Hungarian, Count Zichy, who lived on a princely income in Vienna, was, in his younger days, well known all over Europe on account of the bets he made and generally won. Once, when there was a heavy duty imposed on every head of cattle entering the Austrian capital, he made a bet that he would carry a lamb duty-free through the gate of Vienna, and that the gatekeeper, who acts as imperial officer, adjusting and receiving the duty, would be glad to let him pass.

Next morning, the Count, disguised in the clothes of a butcher, his butcher-knife in his hand, his shirt sleeves rolled up, and carrying a heavy sack on his shoulder, made his way to one of the fashionable gates of Vienna, says the New York Ledger. But the watchful officer soon espied him.

"What have you in that sack, fellow?"

"A dog, sir."

"A dog? Dog yourself! Down with that sack! I know fellows like you sometimes carry dogs in sacks through the gates, and sell them for mutton in town. Down with your sack!"

"But it's nothing but a dog, and a bad dog, too. I will—"

"Never mind what you will. Down with your sack!"

The officer pulled the sack from the supposed butcher's shoulder, cut the string, and sure enough, out jumped one of the biggest dogs in Vienna. The dog rushed against the faithful Government servant, landed him several steps away in the gutter, and then left for parts unknown. After him went the young butcher, shaking his big knife before the eyes of the frightened officer, and exclaiming:

"I'll settle you after I catch that dog!"

About two hours afterward, the face of the butcher again appeared before the raised window of the gate-office.

"I have just caught that dog again. Would you like to look at him?"

"Get away! Get out, you and your infernal dog!" And with a crash the window went down, and the smiling butcher entered Vienna.

But no dog was that time in his sack, but the fattest lamb that could be found in the suburbs of the capital.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

"How delicious is the winning
Of a kiss, at love's beginning,"

sings the poet, and his sentiment is true with one possible exception. If either party has the catarrh, even love's kiss loses its sweetness. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy is a sure cure for this repulsive and distressing affliction. By its mild, soothing, antiseptic, cleansing and healing properties, it cures the worst cases. $500 reward offered for an incurable case. *

London Lancet says of hot weather drinks: "Beer and other stimulants are hurtful rather that helpful." The "Montserrat" Lime-Fruit Juice is absolutely pure and is preferable to any form of alcoholic drink. *

Military Notes.

From the Military Review: It is stated on good authority that the Grenadier Guards had not altogether caused trouble up to the time the Tartar left Bermuda. During the voyage out the men were perfectly docile and willing, in fact the naval officers say they have seldom carried a better regiment; but when the troops landed several serious cases of insubordination are reported to have occurred again, and though these were kept very dark there is little or no doubt that the men were still discontented. It is, of course, most exceptional to send troops to Bermuda in the month of July, when the heat is almost unbearable, and the thermometer often stands at 90 degrees in the shade. Doubtless this had something to do with the continuance of discontent, for there is absolutely no shade to be obtained in the coral reefs, and from sunrise to sunset the heat is unbearable and the glare almost maddening. Banishment under such circumstances is certainly a severe punishment.

How the Czar Reads the News.

At present the Czar eschews all Russian newspapers; their pæans and lamentations never reach his ears. Among the many departments of the Ministry of the Interior there is one (the Telegraph says) called the "Department of his majesty's journal," which is charged with preparing day by day a carefully worded resume of some mild articles and items of intelligence meant for the Emperor's eye. A tschinovnik of the Censure rises from his bed in the gray of the early morning and hurries off to the department, where advance-sheets of the journals come in damp from the press. These he reads over, marking with red pencil all the passages the interest of which is not marred by injudiciousness. There are certain events as well as numerous words and phrases which a Russian Emperor, like a certain French King, must never be allowed to hear. "Feu le roi d'Espage!" (the late King of Spain) "What does feu mean?" asked a French King once indignantly. "Oh, it is a title, your Majesty, taken by the King of Spain after the lapse of a certain time." The marked passages are then cut out, pasted together on sheets and handed to the director of the department, who, after carefully considering and if needs be curtailing them, signifies his approval. The extracts are then copied calligraphically on the finest description of paper, forty or fifty words to the page, and the journal in this state is given to the Minister of the Interior or his adjunct. If this dignity is satisfied it is passed on to the General-in-Waiting, who deposits it on his Majesty's table about four o'clock the following day. The news that slowly dribbles through this official filter is seldom of a nature to discompose the feelings of the Czar or disturb his sleep.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Rithet from New Westminster—Mrs T Shotbolt, Mr and Mrs Gilbert, Mrs Munro, S Hemans, A Nevis, W H Ireland, W Patterson, J McKay, Rutherford, J Seeley, C Bush, B Stemlin, J Black, F Gibson, H Walker, Gee Yuen.

Per Steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Mrs Steves, Jno Coughlan, Thos Carey, Mrs C G Johnson, E Dickinson, Chas Aldmeyer, M Nightingale, J H Dolan, Dave Colter, Miss Gawlin, G W R Lee, J Johnson, J R Stark, D R Attinger, Lin Sam, H P Shaw, W R Gibson, Robt Grant.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—R Bernard and daughters, J Wines, J Rea, J J Argraves, J A McGee, Miss Green, J S Shorey and wife, Miss Hunter, A Thomoson, A Bridgeman and wife, D McCullough, C Willey, M King, Miss Warlock, Miss Griesmer, G E Starr, Miss Williams, Mrs Pilods, F D Roger and wife, J Atton, C Kidd and wife, G D Tryon, M Cakoms, R Blakely, J Cranston, W E Morse, R A McCulloch, Miss Culver, J K Warner, F Green, G N Fisher, Mrs Starr, H W Bragg.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound—H Puhr, A G Joyce, T R Dodson, W C McGovern, Mrs Hesburn and child, A Pike and child, Mrs F W Garland and child, T Hansen, W D Chatham, B Reynolds, J Frank, G S Bryant, C L Hammond, E J Leonard, E A Tonkin, D Evans, C Smith and wife, H M Smith, R M Allen, J Patterson and son, G B Wiley, G L Noble, F W Holmes, W Murray, Jno Morhan, A Leigh, W Handley, J Gark, W Luff, R A Phelps, B Hanley, S Amoyd, G Meyers, J H McNaught, J C Saunders, J B Patrick, E J Palmer, J E Glover, E Rest, H T Hobson and wife, E Parrish, F Appleton, Col Prideaux, J Thompson, R McKenzie, A Folger.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—Winternute Bros, O'Conner Bros, Cowan & W, Simon Leiser, D R Ross & Co, J A Jackson.

Per Steamer Rithet from New Westminster—R P Rithet & Co, F Garrey, E Goodacre, Baker & Son, Brackman & Ker, T G Moody, Cowan & W'tson, C P N Co, Gee Yuen, Lewis & Co, S Leiser, McLachlan Bros, A & J Croghan, Lowen & Erb, J T Papst, G Vienna, T Shotbolt, H Bay Company.

Per Steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—Thos Earle, B Williams & Co, C Strouse & Co, J H Evans, H Walker, J T Pierre, John Piercy & Co, Cowan & W'tson, Jas Hastie & Co, C P R Agent, J P Hancock, Jno Weiler, R P Rithet & Co, B H West, L G Wing & Co, T Hamilton & Co, Hudson Bay Co, Hamilton Powder Co, A Raynes, R T Williams, R Lewis, Dom Express Co, Jno J Hart, J H Todd & Son, Fell & Co, A W'tson, Langley & Co, G'more & McCandless, Lens & Leiser, W Jackson Jr, K B Marvin, C E Redfern, R H Jamieson.

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RACES.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

The Victoria Jockey Club will hold its semi-annual meeting on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, October 10 and 11, 1890, at the Victoria Driving Park, where the following programme of races will be presented:

1st DAY—Friday, Oct. 10th.

1st race, trotting and pacing, 2:40 class, 3 in 5 heats. Purse $300.
2nd race, running 1 mile and repeat. Purse $150.
3rd race, trotting and pacing, 2:50 class, entries limited to horses owned by bona fide residents of the Province entered by owner, 2 in 3 heats. Entrance $5. Prize, silver cup.
4th race, running 1 mile dash, open to all stallions. Purse $150

2d DAY—Saturday, Oct. 11th.

5th race, trotting and pacing, 2:30 class, 3 in 5 heats. Purse, $300.
6th race, running, 1 mile and repeat. Purse $150.
7th race, running, 11 mile dash. Purse, $200.
8th race, running 1 mile dash, open to all ponies 14.2 and under, to be ridden by boys 15 years of age and under. Entrance free. Prize, medal.
9th, high jumping contest, open to all horses, gentlemen riders. Entrance $5. Prize, silver cup.

In all purse races four or more are required to enter and three to start.

In all purse races the entrance is 10 per cent.

All purses will be divided into three moneys, 70, 20 and 10 per cent.

Entries close Monday, October 6, 1890, with secretary.

The Jockey Club have arranged to give bonds for foreign horses, and will pass them through the Customs. For any further information as to conditions or otherwise, apply to E. W. MATTHEWS, Esq., Hon. Secretary V. J. C., Post Office Box 698. se26-td

A BY-LAW

To Repeal the "Fire Prevention By-law."

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

SHORT TITLE.

1. This By-law may be cited as the "Fire Prevention By-law."

INTERPRETATION.

2. The interpretation By-law applies to this By-law.

FIRE WARDENS.

3. The Council shall, at its first meeting after each annual election, or as soon thereafter as conveniently may be, and from time to time as a vacancy occurs, appoint one of the Aldermen for each ward to be the Fire Warden for that ward, and every such Fire Warden shall hold office until his successor is appointed.

4. The Mayor and Fire Wardens shall have supervision and control of the officers, members and employees of the Fire Department and shall prescribe the rules for its discipline and management. The Mayor and Fire Wardens shall have control and management of the public property now pertaining to the Fire Department of the said City of Victoria, and shall from time to time in their sound discretion, always subject to the approval of the Council, purchase, add to and acquire when necessary, or sell and dispose of when not required for the use of the Department, engines, hose carriages, hose and such other property as the exigencies of the Department may require. The Mayor and Fire Wardens shall, on the first day of January of each year, or so soon thereafter as practicable, report to the City Council the estimated amount of salaries and other necessary expenditures of the said Fire Department for the ensuing year.

5. No person shall impede in any way or hinder any Fire Warden, Fireman or other person under the direction of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department or other officer in command at any fire or fires.

OBSTRUCTING APPARATUS.

6. No person or persons shall wilfully or carelessly permit any vehicle to obstruct the progress of the apparatus of the Fire Department going to or returning from a fire, alarm or drill.

BREAKING BLOCKADE.

7. No person or persons, save and except the Mayor, Fire Wardens, Police, Firemen and owners, occupiers or employees of buildings endangered by fire, shall be permitted to enter any burning building or within the lines designated by ropes or guards across all or any streets, lanes or alleys, and any person or persons entering within the lines designated by the ropes or guards, or refusing to move when directed to do so by any police officer or officer of the Fire Department shall be liable to a fine or imprisonment, or both, as provided for in this By-law.

DRIVING OVER HOSE.

8. No person or persons shall run over with any vehicle the line or lines of hose in use at any fires, alarms or drills, so as to injure the said hose.

RIGHT OF WAY.

9. All moveable apparatus of the Fire Department shall have the paramount right of way at all times through all streets, lanes and alleys.

FALSE ALARMS.

10. No person or persons shall, without reasonable cause, make or circulate or cause to be made or circulated any false alarm of fire by outcry, ringing of bells, or otherwise.

11. No person or persons shall break, remove or injure any of the parts or appurtenances of the fire alarm telegraph without authority from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department who shall report such action to the Fire Wardens.

12. No person or persons shall make or fit any key to the lock of any signal box of the fire alarm telegraph, have or retain in his or their possession, or under his or their control a key belonging to or fitted to open the lock of any signal box without authority from the Fire Wardens and Chief Engineer of the Fire Department so to do, or pick or force the lock of any such signal box.

13. No person shall put or place, maintain or suffer to be or remain, any article, thing or matter on or upon the sidewalk so as to interfere with the free access or approach to any signal box of the fire alarm telegraph.

14. Any person moving or intending to move any house or building in, on and through any street or streets where it may become necessary to interfere with any fire alarm wire, shall give due notice to the Fire Wardens and Chief Engineer of the Fire Department before commencing to remove said house or building. The person moving said house or building shall give security in coin, not less than twenty-five dollars, and any other security that may be necessary to defray all expenses in taking down, removing, fixing and repairing said fire alarm telegraph or any part thereof, or any damage thereto in consequence of the moving or removal of the house or building.

FLYING KITES.

15. No person shall raise or fly a kite within the city limits.

FIRE ESCAPES.

16. Every building of three stories or more in height, occupied or used as a hotel, boarding or lodging house, or any factory, mill, manufactory or workshop, shall be provided with good and sufficient means of egress in case of fire. Every building in which operatives are employed above the first floor shall be provided with metal fire escapes, and women and children shall not be employed above the second story of any factory, shop or printing office unless there are two or more means of exit. All fire escapes shall be built and placed in accordance with the instructions of the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department or other officer appointed by the Fire Wardens, shall be kept free from any obstructions and shall extend from the first story to at least four feet above the roof.

17. Every building of four stories or more in height used as a store, warehouse, factory, workshop, hotel or lodging house and all theatres shall have a four inch metallic stand pipe within or near the front wall, extending from four feet above the line of sidewalk to the line of roof, and at each story there shall be proper branches with gate valves, and there shall be a Siamese inlet at the line of sidewalk, all of the proper dimensions to connect with the hose of the Fire Department.

STOVES, FIRE PLACES, ETC.

18. No smokestack or pipe of metal for conveying fire, smoke or hot air, shall be fixed nearer than twelve inches to the face of any timber, and no such smokestack or pipe of metal shall pass through any timber framing or partition of wood or lath and plaster, or through any wooden floor unless it is encircled by a rim of solid stone, brick, or metal not less than three inches wide and equal in thickness to the full finished thickness of the framing through which it passes.

19. No person shall set or place any stove, furnace, range or vessel in which fire may be kept, in such a manner that the back thereof be less than sixteen inches from any woodwork; unless such woodwork is protected by metal, and in that case not less than twelve inches; and all iron stoves, furnaces and vessels in which fire may be kept, not built into a brick chimney, shall stand upon stone, brick, zinc or other incombustible material, which shall project at least one foot from the front or door of the same.

20. Every occupant of any building shall keep all pipeholes in any chimney in such building, while such pipeholes are not in use, closed by a proper stopper of metal or other incombustible material.

21. No occupant of any building shall permit any chimney, stovepipe or flue therein to become unclean or take fire.

ASHES.

22. It shall be unlawful for any person to deposit any ashes, or cause the same to be deposited or placed, or permit the same to be or remain in any wooden vessel or upon the floor of any building, or in any place or premises belonging to or occupied by him, or her, or others, or in any metallic vessel within two (2) inches of any woodwork or structure, or place, or permit any hay, straw or other combustible material uncovered within his courtyard or lot of ground within ten (10) feet of any building.

INFLAMMABLE SUBSTANCES.

23. No person shall keep any larger quantity than eighty gallons of coal oil or other oil of a similar combustible character in wooden casks, or three hundred gallons in tin, iron, stone or earthenware, or twenty gallons of crude oil, burning fluid, naphtha, benzole, benzine, or other similar combustible fluid in any wooden building; and no person shall keep any larger quantity than one hundred and fifty gallons of coal oil, or other oil of a similarly combustible character in wooden casks, or seven hundred and fifty gallons in tin, iron, stone or earthenware, or eighty gallons of crude oil, burning fluid, naphtha, benzole, benzine, or other similarly combustible fluid, in any brick building, unless the same shall be kept in a cellar properly ventilated and without a floor, or with a floor of brick, stone, cement, or other incombustible materials, in which case three hundred gallons of coal oil or other oil of a similarly inflammable character in wooden casks, or one thousand gallons in tin, iron, stone or earthenware, may be so kept; and no person shall permit or suffer any of the fluids mentioned in this section to flow into any municipal drain or sewer.

24. Notwithstanding anything in the last preceding section contained, when fire-proof buildings, so constructed as to insure at all times a thorough ventilation thereof and used exclusively for the purpose of keeping or storing coal oil, burning fluid, crude oil, naphtha, benzole, benzine, or other similarly combustible materials, are isolated or detached at least two hundred feet from all other buildings, then any of the said fluids may be kept and stored therein without limit as to quantity, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained.

25. No person shall take, light or use in any such storage building as is mentioned in the last preceding section, any fire, either for heat, light or other purpose.

26. No person shall at any time keep or store any fluid mentioned in this By-law in the unlimited quantity therein authorized or mentioned, unless he has obtained from the Inspector of Buildings, within one year then last, a certificate to the effect that the building in which such fluid is stored or kept is in all respects of the character and description mentioned in that section; and for every such certificate the person obtaining the same shall pay to the Inspector of buildings, for the use of the Corporation, a fee of one dollar.

27. No person shall, at one time, convey on any vehicle more than two hundred and fifty gallons of any of the combustible fluids herein mentioned or referred to.

28. No person shall keep in store or for sale or use in any building within the Fire Limits more than the quantity of hay or straw following, namely:

For every livery or hack stable, 15 tons.

For storage or sale, 15 tons.

For private consumption, 2 tons.

29. No person shall, in any building where hay, straw, shavings or other combustible materials may be, smoke or have in his possession any lighted pipe, cigar or cigarette, or carry or keep, or suffer to be carried or kept, any lighted lamp, candle, or taper not being enclosed in a lantern or shade so as to prevent accident from fire therefrom.

SMOKE AND DRY HOUSES.

30. All smoke houses or dry houses shall be built of brick or stone, and the doors and roof of same shall be constructed of some non-combustible material.

SHAVINGS, HAY, STRAW AND LITTER.

31. Each person making, using or having the charge or control of shavings, hay, straw, paper, bags, litter or any other combustible waste or fragments, shall, at the close of each day, cause the same to be securely stored or disposed of so as to be safe from fire.

AISLES OF BUILDINGS.

32. All aisles and passage ways in buildings used for public assemblages shall be kept free from camp stools, chairs, benches, sofas, or other obstructions during any performance, service, exhibition, lecture, concert, ball, or public assemblage whatever.

SMOKESTACKS AND CHIMNEYS.

33. Whenever in the judgment of the Fire Wardens or upon the complaint of a majority of the residents adjacent thereto, any smokestack, chimney, flue or stovepipe endangers the surrounding property by fire, or annoys the residents in the neighborhood with smoke, soot or cinders, the Fire Wardens shall order the same to be abated, altered or improved as they may think most suitable for the protection of the surrounding property and conducive to the comforts of the residents in the vicinity.

UNOCCUPIED BUILDINGS.

34. Whenever any unoccupied building or buildings are not properly secured the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department or other officer in charge of said Fire Department, shall immediately visit the premises and notify the owner, agent, or person having control of same of the condition of the said unoccupied building or buildings, and to have it, or them, within twenty-fours, properly secured, so as to prevent evil disposed persons having access thereto.

PERMIT TO KINDLE FIRES.

35. No person shall kindle or cause to be kindled or used, any fire upon any street or highway, or any where in the open air in the City of Victoria, without a permit to do so signed by the Chief Engineer, or other officer in charge of the Fire Department. This section shall not include fire in furnaces necessarily used in laying roofs or pavements, nor the fires used in furnaces of engines necessarily used in blasting or hoisting, nor to fires in the open air up on private property, necessarily used in setting tires upon the wheels of vehicles or in heating tar or pitch.

ENFORCING REGULATIONS.

36. The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, Assistant Chief Engineer, or any municipal police officer, may enter upon any property which is, or is reasonably supposed to be subject to the regulations of this By-Law, in order to ascertain whether such regulations are obeyed, and no person shall obstruct any such officer in the discharge of his duty.

37. Every person convicted of an infraction of any of the provisions of this By-Law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars.

REPEAL.

38. The by-law "For the Protection of the City against Fire," No. 1, the by-law, "Defining the Duties of Fire Wardens and regulating the the conduct of the inhabitants at fires," No. 2, "A By-Law for the protection of fire ladders within the City of Victoria," No. 73; the "Fire Alarm By-Law, 1882," No. 87, the "Petroleum By-Law, 1882" No. 92, sections 3, 4, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 29 of the "Victoria Building By-Law, 1885," No. 98, and section 6 of the "Fire Limits and Wooden Buildings By-Law, 1885," No. 116, a By-Law for the prevention and suppression of fires, 1887, and so much of every other by-law as is inconsistent with this by-law or makes any provision for any matter herein provided for, are hereby repealed; and this by-law is substituted for them.

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1890.

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COURT OF ASSIZE.

Resumption of the Trial of Mrs. Routledge for Murder.

[illegible] Edward Forrest, sworn, said that he saw a woman on Joe Dougan's farm. Witness's attention was attracted to a man climbing a fence. Could not say that the woman was Mrs. Routledge or the man Joe Dougan.

Cross-examined—Was married to a daughter of Mrs. Routledge, whom Dougan had abused. Her body was bruised when he married her. Remembered when Dougan kicked Mrs. Routledge in the eye. Never saw Dougan fire a rifle at Mrs. Routledge or the children. When he was sober they [illegible]

Thomas Scott stated that Mrs. Routledge had told him that she and Dougan were living together as man and wife. She further said that if Joe married any other woman she would kill one of them. She was speaking in joke. With the evidence of this witness the case for the Crown was left.

The counsel for the defence made a most vigorous and impressive speech, in which he first summarized the evidence offered by the Crown, and defined the distinctions between murder and manslaughter. His clear and masterly handling of the case created a very favorable impression upon the large audience, and upon concluding he was loudly applauded, which, however, was quickly suppressed by command of the court, his lordship pointing out that no demonstration calculated to affect the minds of the jury could possibly be permitted. Said he, addressing the audience: "It is unbearable, intolerable, in a civilized, Christian country, for you to attempt to intimidate or coax a jury thus. Not another sound from any one of you. If I hear a sound I will order the court cleared. The first man that wags his finger even, turn him out."

"Yes, your Lordship" answered the acting sheriff, and the case proceeded.

For the defence Mr. Mills called William Green. He had known Joseph Dougan and Mrs. Routledge for three years. Dougan was a very decent man when sober and he had only seen him drunk once or twice. The prisoner was a clean, hard-working woman and used to work on the farm; he had seen her driving the oxen. She and Joe Dougan lived on affectionate terms. She always spoke well of him, more so than he deserved. Had conversation with Joe Dougan when he brought Mrs. Routledge back from Seattle. He said he was lonely and he wanted her back for the sake of little Maude. Joe came to witness on one occasion and said he had nearly knocked Mrs. Routledge's eye out. She had the marks on her face yet. Had heard of her ribs having been broken. Joe was in the habit of going out with his rifle.

Cross-examined—Dougan never told witness that Mrs. Routledge had shot at him when he knocked her eye out. Had heard of this at Cowichan. Did not know what Mrs. Routledge had gone to Seattle for. It would have been a good thing if he had left her there or paid her off. She was, he thought, more sinned against than sinning.

Mary Anne Jones, wife of Geo. Jones of McPherson's station, had known both Mrs. Routledge and Joe Dougan for about five years. She was a hard-working, clean woman. Joe Dougan was a good man when sober, but when tipsy was very abusive; always wanting to fight. He had at one time lifted a bottle and tried to strike witness. He had fought with George Lewis near witness's house. He was a bad man, and her husband refused to serve him. A few days before the sad affair the prisoner came down to her house and paid $12.

The court objected to the introduction of a conversation between the prisoner and the witness the day before the shooting.

Mr Mills took exception to this ruling and asked that the point be reserved.

Edmund James Wall, clerk, testified that he had done a great deal of hunting and shooting. He detailed a gun accident, several years ago, in which it had gone off by the mere lifting of a coat which had not touched it.

Mr. Pardoe, sworn, said he knew Joe Dougan, and had repaired a rifle for him, which, if it was not the rifle produced, was one exactly like it. There were numerous accidents with rifles, for which no one could account.

In answer to Mr. Mills, the Court said that prima facie every case of homicide was murder, and it was for the defence, by its evidence, to show that there was no malice prepense the previous day. In mercy to the prisoner, he had refused to listen to the evidence which it was sought to elicit from Mrs. Jones.

James Routledge, the son of the prisoner, had lived at Evergreen farm with his mother and Dougan. The latter used to curse and swear at and kick his mother. He had broken her arm and three of her ribs. He had kicked her when she was down. He once made a big cut in her head with a piece of board. He kicked her a number of times but he did not recollect the dates. Dougan had fired at him two weeks before the killing, because he tried to prevent him from going for whiskey. On the occasion of the killing, after deceased had been out for whiskey, but before doing so had put his gun away and taken out the cartridges, witness heard a shot fired outside, after deceased had indulged in most abusive and profane language. His mother was crying, and she said, "I did not do it; it was an accident." Presently Mr. Keir and others came along.

Cross-examined—Deceased went out about 7 o'clock for whiskey. He was accompanied by the prisoner. They afterwards went to the big house, but witness remained in the little house. About half an hour after their return—both had been drinking—a row began. About eleven o'clock witness went to bed; witness's brother was in the big house. Witness generally slept there with Dougan. About three o'clock, as near as witness could judge, he woke. Deceased was not yelling at the time, but he went past the house and his mother called to him he had whiskey enough. His mother, who followed, when she passed the house had nothing in her hands. Before the shot, he heard deceased call his mother bad names. Did not hear his mother tell Dougan to run. Might have told Officer Kier this but did not think so.

A plan was here produced by the Attorney-General, which was shown to the jury, to illustrate the position of the house and outbuildings together with the relative position of the parties when they were seen by witness at and after the time of killing.

Mr. Mills announced that his case was closed and proceeded to address the court and the jury. Having expressed his regret that the court and he could have differed as to his method of [illegible] the case, he cited the precedent of Regina vs. Weston—a case similar to this—set by the Lord Chief Justice of England, contending that if, in the present instance, the jury did not believe the killing to have been accidental, assuming that the prisoner took up the gun in self-defence, there was excusable homicide or "blamable necessity." He had, he thought, shown that the brutality had been all on the part of the deceased.

[illegible] the line between murder and manslaughter, and said that, according to the evidence, whatever might be the opinion of the jury as to the degree of crime, it would be impossible for them to bring in a verdict absolutely acquitting the prisoner. She was just as reasonable as the deceased for the condition of things existing between them, and the statement of the boy who was accustomed to sleep with Dogan showed that he at least was not afraid of the deceased. Mr. Davie carefully reviewed the testimony, and held that the killing was in direct carrying out of the threat which the prisoner had made to several parties that if Joseph Dogan did not marry her in July she would shot him. He commented on the fact that Dogan had taken the cartridges out of the rifle before six o'clock. How then did the bullet that shot him get into the rifle? It was clear that the prisoner had put them in herself. No woman, whatever her wrongs—fancied or real—was entitled to be her own avenger, and after the charge of the judge he was certain that the jury would give a verdict as between the crown and the prisoner according to the evidence and only according to the evidence.

The Court, in addressing the jury, said that in the precedent cited by the counsel for the defence the shooting had taken place immediately after the highest provocation; but in the present instance the woman, after the quarrel, had deliberately followed the deceased into the yard. By her life she had destroyed her moral texture, and after a long course of immorality, and after four distinct attempts at murder, with many threats that she would commit murder, the killing had occurred. There was no doubt that she had received provocation; but it must be shown that there was no malice prepense. Such was not the case, for she had threatened for months that she would shoot him. It was for the jury to say whether, taking all things into consideration, there was wilful murder, killing without malice prepense or that the woman was not guilty.

Shortly after 6 o'clock, the jury retired to their room, it being signified by some of them that they did not expect to remain long away. However, the minutes continued to increase, and shortly before 7 o'clock, the jury being communicated with, asked for five minutes more time, evidently not desirous of being locked up for the night with the prospect of a soft side of a plank for a bed, and the most meagre fare to supply the wants of nature. In the meantime the accused manifested extreme nervousness, and had rather exciting and affecting talks with her children and friends. She appeared at one time on the verge of fainting, but her son revived her with the aid of a glass of water, and she was as calm and collected as she could be by the time the jury returned, which was at about ten minutes past seven. "Order!" was stentoriously shouted by the crier, and every one having subsided into a state of perfect quiescence the deputy sheriff called the roll. The clerk then asked the formal question as to their agreement upon a verdict, which being answered satisfactorily, the foreman replied in the affirmative adding "Not Guilty!" "Order!" was again the watchword and amid almost breathless silence, Mr. Irving, Deputy Attorney-General, announced that there was nothing to do but to discharge the prisoner. This having been done, and the court adjourned till Monday, congratulations flowed in upon Mrs. Routledge from all sides. She first fervently kissed her children and then acknowledged the good wishes of her friends.

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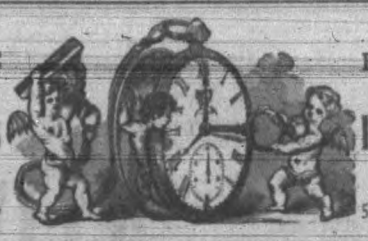

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

NELSON NOTES.

Mining and General News Collated from The Miner—A Great Country.

Taking into consideration the known richness of the Silver King and Kootenay Bonanza, but little headway is being made on the other claims on Toad Mountain. Everyone is looking forward to the time when the Hall properties will pass into the hands of a strong company, then it is expected that capitalists will be more eager to take hold of and open up other ground believed to be rich.

A number of "fore-runners" and "advance guards" of capitalists seeking investments in mines have been in Nelson during the week. If the capitalists get as badly tangled up in mines as the "fore-runners" did with tangle-foot whiskey, the outlook for this camp is a sad one to contemplate.

C. C. McKay, of the Columbia lakes country, states that he intends bringing in a bunch of beef steers to Crawford's bay, so as to help supply the demand for beef in the camps on Kootenay lake. He says that the trail up the St. Mary's river from Cranbrook, and for which Col. Baker received an appropriation of $1000, ends nowhere, and that he is compelled to drive his cattle to Rykert's custom house, and there ship them aboard a barge and have them towed to the bay. He thinks the appropriation was frittered away, as the amount was ample to have made a good trail from the upper Kootenay country to the lake.

It is claimed that the stage of the water on the Columbia below Sproat will prevent the steamer Lytton making many more trips this season, and that she will even be compelled to lay up altogether, as the stage of water in the river below Revelstoke is lower than at this time last year. This news, if true, ends all hopes of getting Kootenay lake ore to the Revelstoke smelter this fall.

J. M. Kellie, member-elect to the provincial legislative assembly, is now on a visit to the camps in this section of West Kootenay district. He comes to see the country for himself, and learn its needs directly from the people who are upbuilding it. Mr. Kellie does not pose as the representasive of any party or faction, and does not claim the power of forcing large appropriations from the present government or any future government. He claims that he will try and obtain what the people of the district are entitled to, and that their interests will be carefully looked after. Mr. Kellie will remain four to six weeks, and in that time expects to visit ever claim or mine of importance in Hot Springs, Toad Mountain, Goat River, and Trail Creek districts.

The Government will sell lots in Nelson the latter part of this month. They will be sold by auction, with a building clause. Twenty per cent of the purchase price in cash, the balance in 12 months.

A cabbage weighing 18 pounds, a half bushel of potatoes—the largest of which weighed one pound—and a peck of well-flavored tomatoes were part of the cargo of the Galena last Thursday. The vegetables were grown on J. C. Rykert's farm at the boundary line, and are on exhibition at the Miner office merely to show the capacity of the soil of the Kootenay valley.

A kiln of 40,000 bricks was fired this afternoon by the Nelson Brick Company. They expect to be able to furnish bricks for chimneys in about 14 days.

It is rumored that D. C. Corbin will put a boat on the Columbia, to run between Little Dalles and a landing on the Kootenay, 2 miles east of Sproat. By making a landing on the Kootenay the obstructions and rapids in the Columbia above the mouth of that river will be avoided. The Columbia and Kootenay Steam Navigation Company have also contracted with a firm of shipbuilders to construct a large boat at Revelstoke, with 18-inch cylinders and about 30 feet longer than the Lytton. The latter boat is found to be totally unfitted for the lower river, having too little power to steam the Kootenay rapids, and having too few staterooms for the tourist travel. It is to be hoped that in building new boats the traditions of the past will be abandoned, and something capable of keeping with modern improvements adopted.

One of Nelson's hustling business men paid Spokane Falls a visit last week, and of course, put up at the Hotel Spokane, the toniest tavern in the village. He says he was given an elegantly appointed room on the first floor, and treated as if he was the owner of Nelson's greatest mine, the Silver King, instead of only being the possessor of a Trail Creek wild cat. He is one of the "boys" when away from home, and had to take in the town. Returning to his room in the early hours after midnight, he undressed, then looked around for a bed on which to dream of houries uncaressed, but could not see anything except his own reflection in the mirrors that seemed to stand and hang everywhere. Not wishing to show that his knowledge of modern furniture was confined to a shake down and a candle box, he swore to himself that he would sleep standing before he would go down to the night-clerk and ask for assistance to find the bed. After pulling out all the drawers of the bureau and the wash-stand, he overturned half a dozen chairs and stumbled up against a mirrow that seemed to reach to the ceiling. The jar caused it to swing back to the carpeted floor, revealing to his great astonishment, a luxrious couch. Satisfied that he had found what he had been looking for, he next attempted to blow out the incandescent light, mistaking it for an ordinary suspended lamp. After further fruitless attempts he gave it up in disdust, saying to himself as he crawled into bed, that he was either drunk or too far away from home.

On his outward trip last week, W. A. Baillie-Grohman, manager of the Kootenay Valleys Company, Limited, notified J. C. Rykert jr., customs officer at the boundary line, that he was trespassing on lands reserved for his company under the reclamation scheme. He further, forbid Mr. Rykert cutting hay on the land. Mr. Rykert claims that he pre-empted the land years ago, and that while his pre-emption was not allowed, the commissioner of lands and works gave him to understand that he should get title to the land at the proper time. Mr. Rykert also claims that he has spent over $3000 in improving the land, and that he has lived on and continuously worked it since settling there in 1884. It is understood that Mr. Graham's company wants the land for a townsite; and that a surveyor has already been ordered to plot it. Many people would like to learn in what way the Kootenay Valley company have earned title to any land on the lower Kootenay. They certainly have not reclaimed an acre from overflow, and Mr. Rykert claims that his land is high and dry at all seasons of the year, and therefore does not come within the lands reserved for reclaimers.

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Is a new and elegant preparation for eradicating and preventing roughness of the face and hands. Use it freely at night just before retiring and you will be delighted with a soft, smooth skin. Try it. D. E. Campbell, agent. *

Col. Baker Criticised.

The Miner says that there is talk at Donald of Colonel Baker being called on by Premier Robson to take a seat in the Government as minister of railways, a new portfolio. If a new election is the result of this talk, Colonel Baker will never be returned, as his unpopularity increases just as the measures he "fathered" last winter are becoming better understood.

An Election Dodge.

There seems to be other government court houses in the province beside the one in Victoria that are under repairs. The Miner says: The court house and jail at Donald is being fixed. Boards and tarpaper are being placed on the roof and mud thrown against the sides. The total expenditure for all this will not exceed $75. What has become of the $3000 promised for a new court house? Was it merely an election dodge promise?

Cowichan Fair.

A large number of Victorians have signified their intention of going to Duncan's station to-morrow to attend the exhibition to be given by the Cowichan and Salt Spring Island Agricultural Association. This should be well patronized, as it is the centre of a good farming district and products that can not be seen at other exhibitions are shown there. Of late years several English gentlemen have settled in the district, and their farms are stocked with the best of everything, much of which is sent to the fair. We predict that the Cowichan and Salt Spring Island Agricultural Association will make another grand success this year as heretofore.

U. R. K. of P.

Vancouver division U. R. K. of P. was instituted on Friday evening with the following officers: Sir Knights, Captain C. L. Behnsen; Lieutenant H. A. Anstie; Herald N. L. Oakley; Treasurer, R. Clark; Recorder, T. M. Blomquist; Guard, J. W. Young; Sentinel, W. S. Patterson. Thirty members of the lodge were initiated, which is a remarkably good showing considering the time the order has been in existence in Vancouver. After the installation the Sir Knights congregated in the Dufferin house where a splendid banquet was awaiting them. The Victoria knights present were: Capt. H. F. W. Behnsen, Lieut. H. A. Duke, Lieut. H. Webber, John Coughlin, J. P. Matthews, J. C. Bryne, S. L. Redgrave, M. Meiss and Fred. Randolph.

Naval Notes.

H.M.S. Amphion left this morning for a ten days' cruise to Vancouver and Comox.

H.M.S. Warspite leaves on Monday for a cruise. She will be absent for about one week and will then leave about Oct. 21 for the southern part of the station.

H.M.S. Daphne and Nymphe are expected to return from New Westminster about Manday.

Professor Alger, the inspector of dockyards, is here on a tour of inspection of Her Majesty's naval depots.

It is expected H.M.S. Champion will leave also on a short cruise next week.

H.M.S. Espiegle will shortly leave for Coquimbo by way of Honolulu and Tahiti.

Heavily Loaded.

One of the drunks who appeared in the police court this morning was Wm. Jackson, a big, heavy-set man with muscles like iron. He was found drunk on Broad street, and although it is only a short distance from the station, four policemen had all they could do to get him there. The man is evidently pretty well to do, for a roll of bills amounting to $52 was sticking out of his pocket, and if the police had not come along when they did, the chances are he would have been minus his cash this morning. When brought into the police court this morning he objected to being put in the dock, and said he would sooner pay a lawyer $10 than be put in there. The police were charitable and allowed him a seat outside the dock.

Early Morning Blaze.

At half-past four this morning an alarm of fire was brought into the Tiger house by a gentleman, and a general alarm was turned in from box 6. The department were promptly out, and the blaze was found in the rear of two dwelling houses, 134 Cormorant street, and 129 Fisgard street, owned by Mr. Burgess. The sheds and outhouses were blazing briskly, but two streams soon put a quietus on the fire. The damage done will not exceed $25, as only the outhouses were injured. The origin was without doubt incendiary, as traces of coal oil could be seen after the blaze was extinguished. Mr. James March, in whose shed the fire appears to have originated, says he was up at 4 o'clock, and there was no sign of fire then. Mr. Bryant, who resides at 134 Cormorant street, was also up less than an hour before the fire, and saw no trace of anything wrong. These incendiary fires are of late getting rather common, but there seems to be no way of tracing the guilty party. By and by "caught in the act" may be a heading chronicling the capture of the fire-bug.

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Mr. Seward is at the Driard house, where he will remain but a short time, hence an early call should be made.

BEAUTIFUL CHINA PAINTING.

An Art Which Only Requires to be Known to be Popular.

Among the many beautiful works of art to be seen at the B. C. Art Association's exhibition, perhaps the painting on china by Mr. Wm. Allan and Miss McMicking is not the least admired. The work is truly fine and most carefully done. Mr. Allan is the introducer of the art to Victoria. He is not only a painter on china, but he also fires or bakes the colors into the ware so that it part and parcel or the cup or article so ornamented and is practically imperishable. The colors used are of a special sort, and require very delicate and skilful manipulation to produce an artistic result. Miss McMicking seems to have been an apt scholar, as her work is first class. The burning in of the colors is also a particular process, but from the samples shown, it is safe to assert that Mr. Allan is a master of the business. Probably when this decorative process becomes better known locally, much more of it will be done, for what can be prettier than a tea or dinner set ornamented with beautiful and unfadeable pictures or monograms of a purely local character.

TO WITNESS THE BLAST.

A Few Victoria Gentlemen Charter a Tug for Port Crescent.

A party of gentlemen have chartered the steamer Mystery and will leave tomorrow at 1 o'clock in the afternoon for Port Crescent to witness the explosion of the big blast at the harbor improvement work there. It is only a two hours' run across the Straits, and the sight is well worth seeing.

Special arrangements have been made with the U. S. Customs authorities, Collector Bradshaw, of Port Townsend, having kindly promised to either go himself or to send an officer to Port Crescent for that day to enter and clear vessels. The party by the Mystery is a strictly private one, and there will not be a crowd on board.

The blast to be fired consists of 20,000 pounds of Judson powder and 2000 pounds of dynamite. When that lot of explosives is let off there will probably be considerable of a rise in the real estate at the bottom of the bay where the stuff is stowed away awaiting the mement of combustion.

Not That Sort.

Mr. J. Seely, the oarsman, has called to deny that he rowed a race with an Indian at Westminster. The item was among the regular telegraphic news from that city, and published as bona fide. Mr. Seely feels somewhat annoyed over the report, and desires to have it contradicted.

The Islander.

The steamer Islander is due down from the north with the party of Victoria excursionists, which left here on Sept. 15th. The trip was intended to be 10 days long, but she will evidently be kept a little while longer picking up freight. A dispatch from Nanaimo says she had not arrived there up 2.45 this afternoon.

A Labor Saver.

A ten-horse power traction engine built by Waterous was to-day sold by Messrs. Nicholles & Renouf to Mr. James Tod of Cedar Hill. Steam was raised on the engine this morning, and as the machine puffed up and down Broad street it attracted a deal of attention. The engine will be used by Mr. Tod to drive his threshing machine. It can also be used to draw heavy loads.

A Big Improvement.

A few days ago the TIMES mentioned that new blinds, to replace the old-fashioned dirty yellow ones at the city hall, would not be out order. The hall committee have taken the hint and now the windows of the ground floor have striped blinds and the second story windows blue ones. They are a big improvement on the old ones, and make the handsome new building look finished. In speaking of the new additions to the city buildings and the improvements improved, everyone seems to be surprised at the commodious rooms. A great many people did not know that the third story could be utilized, but a visit to the rooms will convince them that they can be used for a great many things. One of the rooms as at present being used by the Art Association, and with all their fine pictures, they find it quite large enough, although it is the smallest room in the building.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 1:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowen man at the Bank Exchange.

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day, 67 deg.

Do you Eat?

For dinner to-day, or ice cream regale yourself at Sylvester's.

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For a first-class shave or hair-cut go to George Russell's, 48 Yates street.

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Arrived O. K.

A beautiful line of Razors, Strops and Shaving Materials can be seen at Fox's 78 Government street. Call and see the fine assortment of Pocket Knives and Scissors.

McAuliffe-Slavin.

It was reported around town last night that a private dispatch had been received from a member of the Ormonde club, London, by an officer of one of the ships, stating that Slavin had knocked McAuliffe out in 13 rounds. The report is not accredited, however, as no news is forthcoming over the wires to that effect.

For the South.

The following passengers went to San Francisco by the steamer Umatilla this morning: Hon McKenzie Bowell, Dr. C. E. Hickey, M.P., W. J. Bentretts, T. W. C. Thompson, Wm. McNish and wife, Mrs. C. J. Johnson, Miss H. S. Ogilvie, Miss Ida Christie, F. Retz, May Potter, L. Mason, Jos. Boly and Chas. Ohlimer.

Sealer's Luck.

The schooner Beatrice, Capt. Keefe, came to an anchorage off the outer wharf last evening, and one of her boats was sent ashore with the news. She has a catch of 854 skins on board. All are well. She was towed in this morning by the tug Falcon.

An Indian schooner which has also been north came in with 640 seal skins, the result of her season's hunt.

A Slight Mistake.

Through some slight disarrangement of the indicator and striking gong in the Deluge fire hall this morning, the apparatus started off on full swing for the location of box 61, situated at James Bay. Sixty-one was the number shown although box 6 was turned in. Driver Macdonald noticed the glare from the fire on Cormorant street and at once drove back, very little time having been lost. The defect in the indicator has been remedied.

Enough to Kill Him.

About 8:30 last evening Officer Smith arrested a slwash for being drunk. The Indian had evidently fallen into the harbor some time before, as his clothes were wringing wet. Of course he was marched off to the police station and thrown into a cell, where he slept until 10 o'clock in wet clothes. No doubt the police are not blameable, as a drunken Indian is pretty hard to arrest, let alone making him change his clothes.

Resumed Business.

Messrs. Heathorn & McIntosh have resumed the business of the Rock Bay Coal Yard, and will be located after October 1st at 90½ Government street. They will handle the New Wellington coal, mined at Northfield, which is considered by consumers equal to any in the market. Mrs. W. Heathorn is building a new wharf at Rock Bay where the yards are located, so that the best facilities will be afforded for handling the coal.

Better Left Unsaid.

At one of the recent numerous marriages in the city, the bridegroom became so nervous that when the time arrived for him to slip the ring on the bride's finger, his hand was so unsteady that he could not manage it. A slight titter was heard and to help him out the bride put the ring on herself. The minister could not refrain from remarking that she reminded him of mehemian and mefeely's self (w)ringing mops. Most of the guests have since recovered but the bride is still unconscious.

Little Runaways.

Yesterday about one o'clock, a lady who lives at 183 Cook street, was running around frantically asking people if they had seen her little girl who had been missing since morning. Several school girls who saw her very kindly took her to the police station where she engaged the assistance of the police to help her find the lost one. After a long hunt the mother returned home to find her little pet there waiting for supper.

The four little runaways mentioned in last evening's TIMES were brought back from Port Townsend last evening, and after being lectured by the police were taken home.

The Russell, McDonald Co.

Of Victoria and Vancouver, are busy moving into their handsome new building on Cordova street, Vancouver. The store will be fitted up on the department plan and will be the most complete of its kind on the coast. The management will continue in the hands of Mr. McDonald until early spring when he leaves for the east. His place will probably be taken by one of the eastern shareholders. In their Victoria store on Douglas street, of which Mr. Charles Russell is the efficient manager, they have placed an immense stock of clothing, boots and shoes, etc., for the winter trade, which they assure us will be good.

A Rescue.

In the shed belonging to the house occupied by Mr. W. C. Bryant, which was burned this morning, were several young puppies of a rare and valuable breed. Two of the little dogs were too small to crawl out of their blazing quarters, and stood in great danger of becoming roasted. One of the firemen saw the predicament of the pups, and entering the burning shed caught up the doggies and brought them safely out. The animals manifested their thanks by a vehement agitation of their tails, that being their doggish way of expressing gratitude.

A CHANGE NEEDED.

Delay of Mails to Puget Sound Cities From Victoria.

The unreasonable time taken in the transmission of our letters to Seattle and Tacoma, has long been a source of annoyance to merchants and others of this city. Letters mailed in Victoria on Saturday sometimes reach Seattle on the Thursday following—and sometimes they don't get there for several days after that. Three days seems about the quickest time which can be made by a letter between the two cities, and in consequence much trouble and bother is caused.

When it is remembered that a steamer leaves this port every evening for Seattle, arriving there before midnight, and that another steamer leaves every morning, reaching Seattle early in the day, it seems hardly up to the requirements of these days of rush and business to have letters left lingering along for indefinite and unknown periods. Only to-day a prominent business man of Victoria told a TIMES reporter that owing to the length of time taken in the transmission of a letter considerable financial loss resulted.

Several business men have adopted the scheme of getting in a stock of U. S. stamps, and then giving their correspondence to parties going over in the evening or morning boats, to be posted at the office at Seattle. By this means alone can anything like reasonable time be made.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The ss. Batavia will be the next ship from China. She is expected next Wednesday or Thursday.

The steamer City of Topeka, due from Alaska is to bring down a big load of salmon, thus being delayed.

The steamer Umatilla went to San Francisco this morning with a big passenger list and 20 tons of freight from this port.

The schooner E. B. Marvin, which was ashore while on her northern sealing cruise, was to-day surveyed by Capts. Cox and Collison.

The S.S. Sussex has left Vancouver for China and Japan with 1174 tons of cargo, consisting of cotton, lumber and machinery. The cotton is consigned to Shanghai, the machinery to Kobi and the lumber to Yokohama and Hongkong. She has no accommodation for saloon passengers but will take with her one hundred and five Chinese, thirty-five from Victoria, fourteen from New York, sixteen from Vancouver and forty-nine from Portland. The Portland contingent will be taken aboard in the Royal Roads. The Sussex will call at Departure Bay and load with 500 tons of coal.

A French scientist asserts that the American dentists insert in American teeth, each year, the enormous amount of one thousand eight hundred pounds of the precious metal, which represents nearly four hundred and fifty thousand dollars. This gold is never recovered, of course, but is buried with the persons in whose mouth it is placed. It appears that in less than one hundred years the American cemeteries will contain a larger amount of gold than now exists in France.

BIRTH.

McARTHUR—In this city on the 24th instant, the wife of Jas. A. McArthur, Esq., of a daughter.

DIED.

MASON—In this city on the 25th inst., Annie Victoria, infant daughter of Robert and Eva Mason, aged one month.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Saturday) at 2 o'clock from the parents' residence, 54 Quadra street. Friends are invited to attend.

CARPUE—On Wednesday, the 24th instant, at Marifield, the residence of her brother, Bishop Cridge, Elizabeth Dyer Cridge, a native of Devonshire, England, aged 70 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, the 27th instant, at 2:30 o'clock, and at the Reformed Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock.

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This meeting is called for the purpose of considering the agreement for the amalgamation of our Society with the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital, and having said agreement ratified.

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